WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh northerly winds, continued fine and very cold for several days.

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SEARCH MADE FOR BOY SEEN ON ICE CAKE IN LAKE ERIE

Youth Disappeared in Darkness After He Was Sighted Near Cleveland

Tug Used Searchlights; Not Known How Disaster Overtook Boy

Cleveland, Jan. 20.—An unidentified boy on a bobbing cake of ice in Lake Erie was the subject of a search by rescue workers to-day.

Little hope was held for rescue of the youth, last seen beating his arms against his sides to keep off the numbing cold as the floe upon which he stood floated into the darkness last night.

Throughout the night fire tug John A. Farley, equipped with powerful searchlights, ploughed through the ice searching for the cake of ice and its pathetic human cargo. Watchers along the shore stood with beacons to guide the youth should the course of the floe change toward solid ice, but no trace of him was found.

Early in the night watchers had trailed him along the shore as coastguardsmen and police tried in vain to launch rescue boats. Thin ice gave way under the weight of rowboats or floes reached jagged heights which made launching impossible.

It is not known how the boy came to be on the ice cake.

Cabinet Faces Test In Japan

Tokio, Jan. 20.—The Government prorogued the Diet for three days to-day when the Seiyukai and the Seiyuhonto opposition parties introduced a resolution of non-confidence after numerous interpellations regarding the Bokuretsu case, business depression and lax official discipline.

RAILROADS OPPOSE RATE EQUALIZATION

In Ottawa Commission Hears Argument by Counsel of C.P.R.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Equalization of rates on a mileage basis is impracticable and would seriously damage business; the ton mile revenue of Canadian railways, a recognized measure of railway rates, is the lowest of any country in the world; Canada's railway service is to-day being performed at less than cost; if the Railway Board should find certain reductions in rates necessary, these must be accompanied by corresponding increases to make up to the carriers for the losses involved.

These were some of the outstanding statements made by E. P. Flintoft, K.C., counsel for the Canadian Pacific Railway, in opening the case for that company in the general freight rate investigation before the Railway Commission here to-day.

DECLARED IMPRACTICABLE

Mr. Flintoft began by observing that an equalization of rates on a mileage basis was just as impracticable as an endeavor to equalize the climate of Canada.

DIFFERENCES POINTED OUT

"Equalization might be all right," he said, "if you had a complete railway system and no people in Canada and simply put in one mileage scale all over and then asked people to come in and build up cities and towns and evelop the various industries. Even then it is questionable whether a flat equalization would be justified in view of differences in operating conditions. However, in the present day and generation any such proposal borders on the fantastic.

"If you were to put in an absolutely equal basis of rates throughout Canada to-morrow, economic conditions would compel a revision immediately, as otherwise irreparable damage would be done to the industrial and commercial interests of the Dominion, which means the people as a whole."

Mr. Flintoft called attention to the fact that the eastern portion of Canada had certain advantages in transportation, including water competition and a geographical advantage in marketing the produce of the Maritime Provinces in Europe.

RATE CHANGES

Reviewing the history of Maritime Province rates, he said that in 1922 the special rates applying to Maritime Province traffic over Montreal rates to and from points on western lines had been reduced to the basis in effect in 1916, thus eliminating altogether the 15 per cent, 25 per cent and 40 per cent advances in rates made during and immediately after the World War. He stated that owing to competitive conditions, New Brunswick had the advantage of practically a blanket rate. Traffic from Montreal to St. John and Moncton moved on the short C.P.R. mileage of 488 as compared with 652 miles over the Intercolonial Railway, and 835 miles over the National Transcontinental.

MOTOR COMPETITION

Rates in Eastern Canada, he stated, were now influenced not only by water competition and United States

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BEER MEN ASK FOR BOTTLED BEER SALE

A delegation of beer parlor operators from Vancouver came here to-day to request the Government for modification in present beer regulations. They are asking that when the Government Liquor Act comes up for discussion in this session of the Legislature they be given the right to sell bottled beer to hotel guests to be consumed in their rooms. At present beer must be consumed in beer parlors.

CALIFORNIA LOSES ITS RUM FLEET

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—Captain F. G. Dodge, division commander of the United States coastguard forces, announced to-day that ten motorboats and small steamers, all suspected of rum-running on the California coast, had mysteriously disappeared. He said revenue cutters and patrol boats had searched every cove between Crescent City and San Diego without seeing the supposed rum fleet during the last three weeks.

MANSON ASKS HOUSE FOR POWER TO CONDUCT STRICT OFFICIAL INVESTIGATIONS

Provision for searching departmental investigations under oath when necessary will be made by the Government in legislation to be introduced in the Legislature immediately by Attorney-General Manson.

Through this bill any member of the Government will be able to investigate the conduct of his officials more effectively than is possible now, as no legal provision exists for examination of officials under oath. Before a Cabinet Minister will be able to start an inquiry under the new law and examine officials under oath, the Cabinet will have to approve this course by Order-in-council.

The new Provincial statute will follow much along the lines of a Federal law of long standing. The Federal Government has power to carry out departmental inquiries under oath at any time but no statute of this sort has existed here and ministers have been powerless to conduct investigations of wide scope.

One of the first uses to which the new law will be put will be the examination of liquor board officials who are alleged to have taken bribes from liquor interests. Revelations of this sort before the Customs Commission are to be searchingly investigated, Mr. Manson has assured the House. The new inquiries statute will enable Mr. Manson to examine these officials under oath and get to the bottom of the allegations against them.

MARX TRIES AGAIN TO FORM CABINET

Having Just Failed, He Makes Another Effort on German Chief's Request

Hindenburg Says Present Situation Demands Strong Government in Republic

Berlin, Jan. 20.—Unsuccessful in his attempt to form a coalition cabinet of the Middle parties, Chancellor Marx was requested by President von Hindenburg to-day to attempt the organization of a cabinet including the Middle and Right.

The President, exasperated by the party squabbling, insisted upon the speedy formation of a cabinet commanding a majority in the Reichstag. In a letter to Chancellor Marx, he said the foreign and domestic situation made a strong government imperative.

CO-OPERATION NEEDED

Such a government was possible only with the co-operation of the Conservative parties, to which he appealed to forget their petty differences and work in the interests of the Fatherland for the welfare of the people on the basis of the republican constitution.

Chancellor Marx this evening was consulting with his Centrist colleagues as to whether he should accept the task.

Canadian-Cuban Trade Agreement Is Now Expected

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—A trade agreement between Canada and Cuba may result from the visit to Cuba of Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance.

Mr. Robb has returned to Ottawa and it is understood is preparing to discuss with his colleagues in the Cabinet the question of improved trade relations between the two countries.

While in Cuba, Mr. Robb held discussions with members of the administration, whom he found most friendly toward the idea of better trade with Canada. Cuba now gives preferential tariff rates to the United States, but there is a feeling that without disturbing this preference much can be done to develop Cuban trade.

During Mr. Robb's absence from Ottawa Premier King had charge of the Finance Department.

$250,000 FIRE IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—Fire early to-day in the automobile sales district of San Francisco, at Vanness Avenue and Pine Street, destroyed several garages, while frightened residents in nearby apartment houses fled to the streets in their nightclothes.

More than 300 persons were routed out of bed, but no one was injured.

The cause of the fire is as yet unknown. The loss is estimated at $250,000.

Man Admits He Set Fire to Hotels

Kamloops, Jan. 20.—Percy Kenard of Windsor, Ontario, who pleaded guilty to charges of arson and theft in connection with a hotel fire at Revelstoke, east of here, and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment on each count, the terms to run concurrently, has been brought here to face similar charges following an admission that he was responsible for the fire which destroyed the hotel at North Bend, west of Kamloops.

During his trial at Revelstoke Kenard said his actions in firing the hotel and then robbing guests' rooms during the ensuing excitement occurred during mental aberrations, to which he was subject occasionally.

WITHDRAWALS OF MONEY FORBIDDEN

Judge Says G. F. Scollard Strong Boxes in Vancouver to Remain Undisturbed

Vancouver, Jan. 20—An injunction to prevent any withdrawals being made from safety deposit boxes rented in the name of George Francis Scollard at the main offices here of the Bank of Montreal and the Bank of Toronto was granted by Mr. Justice Morrison in Supreme Court to-day upon application of counsel for Mrs. Sarah Smith Scollard, whose husband is under arrest at Bellingham, charged with theft of $157,000 from his wife.

$800,000 CLAIMED

The proceedings here were preceded by a writ at the suit of Mrs. Scollard against Scollard and the two banks, in which she claims from Scollard $800,000 in securities and moneys which she alleges he converted to his own use.

The injunction extends to Scollard and the Bank of Montreal branch at the corner of Granville and Fender Streets and the Bank of Toronto branch at the corner of Hastings and Seymour Streets.

Later Mrs. Scollard proposes to apply to the court for an order directing the banks to report the contents of the boxes.

Mr. Justice Morrison appointed February 1 the return date for the injunction.

BOND FURNISHED

Seattle, Jan. 20.—A Seattle surety company has agreed to furnish a bail bond of $27,000 for George Francis Scollard, accused by his wife in Bellingham of defrauding her of $157,000, John F. Dore, Scollard's attorney, said here to-day.

Immediately after Scollard's release he will return to Seattle and take up his business affairs, according to Dore.

A. B. HOUGHTON IS RETURNING TO POST IN LONDON

New York, Jan. 20.—His movements marked by the greatest secrecy, Alanson B. Houghton, United States Ambassador to Great Britain, sailed late last night on the Hamburg-American liner Albert Ballin for Southampton.

Asks Investigation Of Compensation Act

Investigation into the operations of the Workmen's Compensation Board will be demanded in the Legislature by Joshua Hinchliffe, Conservative, Victoria. He placed on the order paper of the House to-day a motion calling for a select committee of the House to inquire into the effect and results of the Workmen's Compensation Act and the regulations under it. This proposal follows the success of Mr. Hinchliffe's motion in favor of an investigation of the Mothers' Pensions Act and its operations. Mothers' pensions will be the subject of early inquiry by a House committee.

RETURNS TO JAPAN FOR STATE FUNERAL

PRINCE HIGASHI KUNI

is now crossing the Pacific to attend the funeral of the late Emperor Yoshihito of Japan, who was his brother-in-law.

FINE UPHELD IN RUM CANDY CASE

Appeal Court Judgment Rules Sale in B.C. is Illegal

Sale of rum candies in British Columbia is illegal and the use of liquor for flavoring candies is not permitted under the British Columbia Liquor Act, the B.C. Court of Appeal ruled in a judgment handed down this morning.

The judgment reversed the ruling of Chief Justice Hunter on a stated case and restores the $1,000 fine against R. C. Purdy Company, Vancouver.

After the Vancouver confectionery firm had been fined $1,000 a stated case was presented to Chief Justice Hunter, who answered the following two questions in the negative:

Was I right in my findings that it was proven that the defendant kept intoxicating liquor for sale?

Was I right in my finding that the manufacture of the said liquor chocolates was not authorized by Section 60 Sub Section 2 of the said Act?

Section 60 refers to the use of liquor in culinary processes.

An appeal from the Chief Justice's ruling was made by the Attorney-General's Department, A. M. Johnson, K.C., arguing the case for the appellant and Frank Higgins, K.C., and F. M. Harper for the respondent at the present sitting of the Court of Appeal.

The judgment of the Court of Appeal handed down this morning was unanimous in reversing the Chief Justice on both questions.

The Victoria case of E. A. Morris Limited, fined $1,000, the minimum fine for a company, by Magistrate Jay, has been taken to the County Court, His Honor Judge Lampman having reserved judgment.

TITLES ADVOCATED BY ONTARIO PREMIER

Ferguson's Statement at Toronto Banquet But Little Discussed in Ottawa

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Official circles here to-day manifested a disinclination to discuss the question of restoration of the practice of granting titles to Canadians, raised in a speech by Premier G. H. Ferguson of Ontario Tuesday night.

DISCUSSION AROUSED

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Some discussion has followed the suggestion made by Hon. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario, at a banquet given here Tuesday night in honor of Col. Harry Cockshutt, retiring Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, that the House of Commons should remove the "ban placed on the conferring of His Majesty's favor" for distinguished service in appointive positions, like that just vacated by Col. Cockshutt. He emphasized that he did not suggest that the "No titles" ban should be removed in the cases of persons elected by the people.

W. F. Nickle, K.C., who while member for Kingston, Ontario, in the Commons in 1918 was the father of the "No titles" resolution, which was endorsed and sent to King George, today, said he saw no reason to change his opinion. He thought there ought not to be attached to any democratic country "an outgrown and outworn system."

BANDIT KILLED IN SIBERIA

Smolensk, Russia, Jan. 20—After committing more than 100 murders and endless robberies and assaults in Smolensk Province over a period of two years, Smirnoff Antonenkoff, leader of a gang of desperadoes, was killed to-day in a battle with Red troops. His followers, who were arrested, will be executed.

CAMPAIGN FUNDS TOLD OF BY WITNESS AT CUSTOMS QUIZ

Commission is Informed in Vancouver Victoria Brewery Made Contributions

Witness Says Giving of Money to Parties Systematized

Vancouver, Jan. 20 (Canadian Press)—Campaign fund contributions by the Victoria-Phoenix Brewery of Victoria, B.C., were looked into by the Customs Commission here this morning. With John F. Newton, president of that brewery on the witness stand, R. L. Calder, K.C., commission counsel, produced a large number of cheques which the witness admitted were campaign fund contributions. Two of the most recent ones, dated September 2, 1926, were for $2,000 each. The first, Mr. Newton said, went to the Liberal Party. The second, he said went to the Conservatives.

"That account balances," remarked Commissioner Wright.

TO MODERATION LEAGUE

One cheque issued in June, 1924, said the witness, amounting to $2,616, went to the Moderation League in connection with a referendum on the sale of beer.

Mr. Newton explained that the contributions to campaign funds were a systematized affair. The Amalgamated Breweries decided on the total amount to be contributed and the various breweries were assessed their proportions. As far as the witness knew, the money was split fifty-fifty between the two parties. No favoritism was shown.

CHEQUES VARIED

Amounts of cheques for campaign funds ranged from $62 up to $2,400. In the month of January, 1925, alone, the cheques issued by the Victoria breweries for campaign funds, as totaled by Mr. Calder, amounted to $7,656. Some of the cheques were charged to "Sundry Agents' Allowances." They were numerous.

TESTIMONY ABOUT REIFEL

Dr. George Gordon of Vancouver appeared before the customs commission this morning and stated he had advised Henry Reifel Jr. of the Joseph Kennedy liquor exporting company to go away for a trip. Mr. Reifel is one of the witnesses the commission wants very much to examine. He is now on a trip to the Orient.

Mr. Reifel's condition was such that a trip would benefit him, said Dr. Gordon.

HEALTH IMPROVING

"How long do you think it will be before he can stand the torture of examination by this commission?" asked R. L. Calder, K.C., commission counsel.

Dr. Gordon could not say definitely. He had heard the health of Mr. Reifel was improving.

R. SWANSON ON STAND

Vancouver, Jan. 20 (Canadian Press)—Robert Swanson, manager of the Consolidated Exporters of British Columbia, was recalled when the Customs Commission resumed its inquiry here this morning. He produced some letters from Scottish distilleries in regard to importations of liquor by the Consolidated, and the use of their labels.

While some labels had been sent out from Scotland for use by the Consolidated in bottling this imported liquor, Mr. Swanson could not say he had been given authority to print any labels.

"Can you tell me where Captain McLennan is?" asked Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., commission counsel.

"No," replied witness.

"He looked after you shipping?"

"Yes."

Mr. Swanson said Captain McLennan had gone away before the Customs Commission had come to Vancouver. Captain McLennan had been assisted by Captain Hudson in the loading of ships for some time.

Mr. Rowell directed a number of questions to the witness in an effort to ascertain the location of a Captain Vosper.

Mr. Swanson said he did not know where he was.

Counsel remarked it was mysterious how many of these people seemed to have disappeared just recently. He asked if there was any reason, but Mr. Swanson could offer none.

OPINION ON LABELS

R. L. Calder, K.C., commission counsel with Mr. Rowell, offered argument in regard to the misuse of copyrights and labels by British Columbia liquor exporting firms. After quoting from the Copyright Act, Mr. Calder submitted it was within the powers of the export houses to import Scotch whisky in bulk, bottle it and label it Scotch whisky, with the name of the bottling firm attached. But when the export firm bottled the liquor and then attached a label indicating it was some specific brand of Scotch whisky, and giving particulars of its manufacture, etc., then permission to use the label must be obtained from the Customs Department.

Mr. Calder declared his allegation was that liquor had actually been bottled and labelled in certain packages for the purpose of deceiving the people of the United States. The labels had been used on the bottles with intent to deceive and no permission for their use had been obtained.

NO PROSECUTION

J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., counsel for the Joseph Kennedy Company, liquor importers, contested Mr. Calder's argument. As far as the Excise Act was concerned, there was no provision against the purchase of labels, the counterfeiting of labels or anything of that kind. These matters were dealt with under the Criminal Code, he said.

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NOW JOURNEYING ACROSS CANADA

PREMIER J. G. COATES

of New Zealand, who was in Winnipeg yesterday, is to arrive in Vancouver Saturday morning. He is to be a guest of the City of Vancouver at a banquet Saturday night, and on Sunday evening he is to leave for San Francisco, from where he will sail for New Zealand.

Labor Men to Appeal Speaker's Decision On Campaign Motion

Frank Browne, Labor member for Burnaby, who is moving in the Legislature for a Royal Commission to investigate campaign funds, announced to-day that his motion on the subject had been ruled out of order by Mr. Speaker Buckham. He declared he would appeal the Speaker's ruling at to-day's session of the House and force a clear-cut division on the whole question of campaign fund investigation.

MRS. CHAPLIN INSISTS HER ALIMONY BE PAID

Lawyers Say Comedian Will Be Arrested if He Ignores Court Order

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—William K. Young, attorney for Lita Grey Chaplin, says he will ask that Charles Chaplin be arrested if the alimony awarded in the pending divorce action is not paid when the comedian comes under the jurisdiction of the court. Chaplin, who is now in New York, has ninety days in which to answer the summons in his wife's action.

At the expiration of a sixty-day period Chaplin will automatically come under the jurisdiction of the Los Angeles courts. However, he will have an additional thirty days within which to answer the divorce complaint.

BIG BOND ORDERED

Young's announcement came on the heels of the action of Superior Judge Walter P. Guerin in ordering the Chaplin Studios Inc. to post a surety bond of $1,000,000 to protect the interests of Mrs. Chaplin pending an appeal by the Chaplin interests from the receivership appointed to handle the movie actor's properties.

Adding to Chaplin's legal woes, federal authorities said the comedian must file a bond of approximately $1,000,000 within ten days as a result of the Government's income tax liens for $1,073,721.

In asking the amount of the bond be a large one, Young declared one of the Chaplin pictures, "The Gold Rush," had brought in an average of $200,000 a month for its first year and had a possible life of five years.

$4,000 A MONTH

The temporary alimony awarded Mrs. Chaplin, to be $4,000 a month, was ordered by the judge last Monday. In addition an order was made that Chaplin must pay Mrs. Chaplin's attorney fees.

$1,000,000 ON HAND

In court yesterday afternoon the receivers for the Chaplin Studios Inc. reported to Judge Guerin that Chaplin has cash of nearly $1,000,000 available in banks in England and the United States, whereupon the court set that amount for the bond to be posted for the lifting of the receivership.

Receivers Spitzel and Gilbert were ordered by the court on Tuesday to open Chaplin's safes and vaults at the

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Two Youths Charged With Burning Boy

Vancouver, Jan. 20—Charged with branding a seven-year-old boy with a red-hot iron, two youths of juvenile age were arrested here last night and taken to the juvenile detention home.

SS. MEGANTIC TO CARRY BRITISH TROOPS TO CHINA

Liner Being Refitted to Transport Marines to Troubled Oriental Zone; In London Foreign Secretary Chamberlain Confers With Opposition Party Leaders

Liverpool, Jan. 20—The White Star liner Megantic is being fitted out as a troopship for the transport of British marines to China.

The liner, on instructions from the Admiralty, was placed in drydock to-day and work of fitting her out was begun.

London, Jan. 20—Foreign Secretary Sir Austen Chamberlain held a conference at the Foreign Office to-day with Former Premier Lloyd George, the Liberal leader, on the Chinese problem, former Premier Ramsay MacDonald, the Labor leader, having held a similar conference with the Foreign Secretary yesterday.

It was stated in official circles these meetings were in complete accord with established precedent that calls for complete knowledge by the opposition leaders of developments in situations affecting British foreign policy.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES

Downing Street is vexed over the emphasis that the London press has been placing on British military preparations to meet emergencies in the Far East. It was reaffirmed the British policy was to negotiate with the Chinese on the most liberal basis and that the dispatch of warships and marines to China was purely precautionary and to assist in quieting the fear and panicky feeling of the foreign population in Shanghai.

Dispatches have indicated a force of marines totaling 1,000 is being prepared to be sent to China.

STRIKE AT CHANGSHA

Peking, Jan. 20—The situation at Changsha, capital of Hunan Province, which is threatened with anti-foreign troubles, is growing worse, according to a dispatch from there to-day. All Chinese servants in the employ of British residents, with the exception of those at the British consulate, have been on strike for a week and British offices are closed.

The German residents there are wearing armbands denoting their nationality, to avoid molestation.

PORTUGUESE MEASURE

Hongkong, Jan. 20. — Dispatches from Macao state the Portuguese cruiser Republic is en route to Hongkong to drydock prior to proceeding to Shanghai to secure the safety of the Portuguese settlement there. The Portuguese gunboat Patria is under orders to proceed to Canton.

DAIRYMEN REPORT YEAR OF PROGRESS

Their Investment in Province Steadily Improved, Chilliwack Convention is Told

Chilliwack, B.C., Jan. 20.—That the past season had not been unfavorable for dairymen was the report made by the directors of the British Columbia Dairymen's Association at the annual convention, opened here this morning.

While late crops and pastures were badly affected by the dryness of the early Fall, the hay crop was uniformly good and roots, silo mixtures and other green forage were fair throughout.

No relief had yet been afforded the dairymen in the prices of mill feeds, and prices for dairy products, while tending upwards, had not materially advanced, it was stated.

INDUSTRY EXPANDS

The dairy industry of the Province, the report stated, was steadily increasing in importance in spite of many discouragements.

Regret, however, was expressed that gross slackness and neglect still prevailed in respect to two of the prime factors in improvement, namely, the use of too many scrub sires and failure actively to engage in milk and fat recording.

Referring to marketing legislation, the report stated the directors awaited with interest the outcome of the demand of the co-operative fruit growers of British Columbia for greater Government control in the marketing of their produce.

The establishment of the Lower Mainland as a bovine tuberculosis free area was mentioned as a most momentous happening that would not cease to be productive of benefit to all.

PASTEURIZATION PLAN

Mention was also made that a resolution calling for the enforced pasteurization of milk in the Province would be presented to the convention.

The financial statement showed the association to be in a healthy condition.

In the absence through family sickness of President Hurford, Courtenay, Vice-President Ernest Raper, Victoria, presided.

FARMERS' ADVISORY BOARD STARTS ITS LEGISLATIVE DRIVE

Agriculturists Here From All Over Province to Explain Needs

Members of the advisory board of the B.C. Farmers' Institutes met here to-day to consider agricultural problems and lay their views before the Legislature. At an informal meeting at the Parliament Buildings this morning they organized for a week's legislative drive in conference with the Agricultural Committee of the House. The delegates whose credentials were received to-day are as follows:

Vancouver Island, C. E. Whitney-Griffiths, Metchosin; Bulkley Valley and Skeena, W. C. Little, Woodcock; Nechaco District, Dr. R. C. Ramford, Endako; Kamloops District, Wm. Harrison, Pritchard; Fraser Valley, J. Bailey, R.R. 2, Sardis; West Kootenays, O. B. Appleton, Proctor; Okanagan, M. F. Williams, R.R. 1, Vernon; East Kootenays, A. B. Smith, Cranbrook.

Delegates appointed to represent specialized branches of the institutes to sit in join conference with the other delegates are as follows:

B.C. Dairymen's Association, R. U. Hurford, Courtenay; B.C. Fruit Growers' Association, T. Abriel, Nakusp; B.C. Stockbreeders' Association, G. Sangster, Victoria; B.C. Poultrymen's Association, R. N. Clerke, Vernon.

LOW TEMPERATURES IN B.C. DISTRICTS

Reports Indicate Wintry Weather is General; Cold Wave Sweeps Prairies

Vancouver, Jan. 20—That the present cold snap is very general over British Columbia is indicated by reports received by the weather bureau in Vancouver.

The lowest record in Vancouver during the past twenty-four hours was 17 degrees above zero, the mercury hitting that point at 7.30 this morning. The highest temperature during the same period was 38 degrees.

Barkerville was one of the coldest spots, the mercury sinking to 20 degrees below zero there. At Kamloops the temperature went down to 18 below zero.

COLD IN U.S.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 20—The Northwest to-day prepared for another onslaught from Winter as the coldest weather of the year was reported from Canada. Minnesota's low mark this morning was 16 below zero at International Falls.

COLD WAVE ON PRAIRIES

Winnipeg, Jan. 20 — Sweeping across the prairies from the Far North and working eastward, a cold wave swept the plains to-day and sent the mercury to record low marks for the season, ranging from 16 below zero at Calgary to 46 below at The Pas in Northern Manitoba.

Fires were numerous in many districts, but all reported up till noon to-day were of a minor nature, while telegraph companies were grappling to keep communication open west of Winnipeg. The intense cold had snapped many wires and repairmen from divisional points were rushed out to repair the damage.

Saskatchewan got the full force of the blast, and the weather bureau predicted record low temperatures in Manitoba to-morrow.

TEMPERATURES COMPARED

Prince Albert held the low record for Saskatchewan this morning with a reading of 42 below zero. Saskatoon was next with 40 and Regina registered 38 below. Minnedosa, Man., which always runs The Pas a close race for the coldest place in the province, reported 36 below zero at 7 o'clock this morning, while Winnipeg was the second warmest district on the prairies with a mere 26, compared with 40 below in the northern area.

In Alberta, Edmonton marked 28 below with Swift Current and Medicine Hat recording 30 and Lethbridge 24 below zero.

NEW THEATRE BY-LAWS

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—Warned by the disastrous Laurier Theatre fire in Montreal, the Winnipeg city council has decided on immediate revision of the by-laws in respect to theatres and motion picture houses here.

Rexall Tasteless Extract of Cod Liver Oil Compound With Extract of Malt and Hypophosphites

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Elective Senate In Canada Urged

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Co-operation of the Government in securing a change in the British North America Act so the Senate should be chosen by election was the request presented by a deputation of railwaymen which on the Ontario Government yesterday.

Conquers Colds at High Speed

A single sip of Buckley's Mixture brings a surprising sense of relief from coughing and soreness. Delights the palate and clears the throat and tubes. Wards off Pneumonia, "Flu" and other dangerous developments from "a cold". Never be without a bottle. All druggists sell "Buckley's" under a money-refunded guarantee. Every dose brings positive relief—and there are 40 doses in a 75-cent bottle!

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BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

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Courts of Revision

Victoria Assessment District

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT, NORTH SAANICH DISTRICT AND ISLANDS

A Court of Revision under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" and amendments thereof, and the "Public Schools Act" and amendments thereof, respecting the assessment rolls for the year 1927 for the above districts will be held as follows, Viz:

For Esquimalt District at Price's Hotel, Parsons Bridge, B.C., on February 1, 1927, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

For North Saanich and Islands at Sidney Hotel, Sidney, B.C., on January 31, 1927, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1927.

THOS. S. FUTCHER, Judge of the Court of Revision.

J. H. GILLESPIE IS PRO PATRIA HEAD

Elected to Presidency at Meeting Last Night; Other Officers

The Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., at a meeting in the Courtney Street club rooms last night, elected Major J. Hebden Gillespie, president. The meeting was the most largely attended held in the Courtney Street quarters, and Major Gillespie was elected by a unanimous vote.

Comrade C. A. Gill was re-elected to the vice-presidency and Comrade J. H. Kirby again appointed second vice-president.

The executive was elected as follows: J. Bowlt, D. M. Campbell, J. Corcoran, T. G. Coventry, A. D. Crease, J. Fox, J. Hinchliffe, R. Macnicol, C. K. Morrison, J. Taylor and H. D. Twigg.

Before the election Major Gillespie explained to the meeting his views regarding the proper conduct and functions of the organization. He outlined several ideas for the increasing of membership and also expressed disapproval of certain methods.

The reports of the secretary and chairman of standing committees showed a satisfactory condition.

Piles Go Quick

Without Salves or Cutting

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POULTRYMEN DISCUSS PLANS FOR PROGRESS

Hon. S. F. Tolmie Addresses B.C. Leaders at Luncheon in Vancouver

Vancouver, Jan. 20—Speaking at a luncheon of members of the Record of Performance Poultry Breeders' Association of British Columbia in the dining-room of the store of David Spencer Limited here yesterday, Hon. S. F. Tolmie M.P., congratulated them on the application of the dumping clause in connection with the importation of United States eggs. Since the passage of the Fordney tariff he had advocated the imposition of equalities, not only on eggs, but on all agricultural products. The Americans could not take offence at such action, he said. Even if they did, the Canadian people were supposed to be running their own country.

EXPERIMENTAL FARMS

Dr. Tolmie paid a high tribute to the work done by the experimental farms, which he claimed compared favorably with any similar institutions in any part of the world.

He commended the work of the Record of Performance Association and pointed out the many advantages possessed by British Columbia for the making of poultry records.

GROWTH SKETCHED

Replying to a toast to the poultry industry in British Columbia, J. R. Terry, provincial poultry inspector, gave some interesting details of the progress made since he commenced work sixteen years ago. At that period there were only two breeders of day-old chicks, and eggs were coming in from everywhere, he said. British Columbia now was sending out eggs and developing a market for its surplus cockerels.

Prof. Lloyd, who also replied, paid a high tribute to what Dr. Tolmie had done for the poultry industry and pointed out the need for further protection and assistance. Due to the splendid egg grading regulations, the consumption of eggs in Canada was steadily increasing and was now nearly an egg-a-day per capita, compared with two-thirds of an egg in the United States and one-third in England.

CAMPAIGN FUNDS TOLD OF BY WITNESS AT CUSTOMS QUIZ

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"I don't think there is any thought of prosecution under the Criminal Code," interjected Chairman J. T. Brown.

If that was the case, said Mr. Farris, as far as the Joseph Kennedy Company was concerned there was no need for further investigation.

FALSE LABELS NOT USED

C. S. Arnold, appearing for certain liquor interests, denied false labels were used by the Consolidated Exporters of British Columbia.

Mr. Calder contended the question of printing or acquiring labels certainly came within the scope of the commission. He pointed out that the commission was trying to gather information, often in spite of "recalcitrant witnesses."

"CANNED PEACHES"

Vancouver, Jan. 20 (Canadian Press).—A suggestion that liquor is shipped from Vancouver in cases marked "Peanut Butter," "Canned Peaches" or "Apricots" featured this morning's sitting of the Customs Commission here.

George Hewitt of the George Hewitt Company Limited, Vancouver, told of having manufactured stencils for use in labelling boxes—for the Joseph Kennedy Company. These stencils were for the commodities mentioned.

Later J. E. Barton, special officer of the customs preventive service, read the report covering a seizure of liquor in Winnipeg encased in boxes labelled "Canned Peaches." The seizure had been reported to the Customs Department, he said.

YESTERDAY'S SESSION

At yesterday afternoon's session of the commission, the examination of Robert Swanson hinged largely upon the use of United States labels on bottles of Canadian whisky, subsequently sold in the United States. Hon. N. W. Rowel, K.C., commission counsel, produced a number of labels as well as some bottles of liquor and questioned Mr. Swanson in regard to them. The witness admitted the Consolidated Exporters of British Columbia purchased liquor distilled in Corbyville and Montreal, bottled it and placed on it the labels which were imitations of those put upon United States brands. The United States customers wanted the brands mentioned, he explained, so the Consolidated Exporters did its best to satisfy the demand. He denied the labels used by his company stated the liquor had been bottled in bond under United States Government inspection. He could not state whether or not his company had obtained the permission of the United States manufacturers of these brands to duplicate their labels and use them on Canadian whisky.

The use of these labels had been stopped about four months ago, Mr. Swanson told the commission.

"Why was it stopped?" asked Mr. Rowell.

Mr. Swanson said he thought Mr. Morgan had told him the use of the labels might be irregular.

"Was it stopped at the time this commission was appointed?" asked Mr. Rowell.

Mr. Swanson replied in the negative.

He denied the Consolidated Exporters had printed labels in imitation of the ones used on United States brands of liquor. The labels which were used, he said, had come from the various companies forming the Consolidated Exporters at the time the consolidation took place. His company, said Mr. Swanson, had printed a number of labels for use on Scotch whiskies which it imported in bulk from Scotland and bottled here.

PRINTING OF LABELS

Mr. Rowell and R. L. Calder, K.C., commission counsel, examined a number of witnesses representing printing firms in Vancouver in regard to the labels.

Walter Scott of the Rogers Printing Company, admitted printing a large number of labels for the Consolidated and also having received cheques for large amounts in payment for the work done. In November, 1925, he had been paid $913 for this work. In December of the same year he had received $1,369. In April of last year the amount paid him was $913. He had never kept invoices of the work done for the Consolidated Exporters, he said.

"They told me not to give them invoices," he told counsel.

"That's remarkable," suggested Mr. Calder, who was examining him.

"SPECIAL" ACCOUNT

The witness agreed it was rather unusual. He had kept no records of the printing beyond some figures in an account marked "Special." Pressed to say why he had not recorded them more fully, Mr. Scott said: "I did not know whether or not I was allowed to print these labels and I was a wee bit scared." He had received his orders in regard to the printing from Mr. Morgan, he said.

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RAILROADS OPPOSE RATE EQUALIZATION

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rail competition, but by motor competition as well.

Of great benefit to the commercial communities in both the United States and Canada, he said, was the system of rates which had been developed by the Canadian railways, "which enables traffic to move freely via a competing gateway and also has put the Canadian route and ocean ports on a footing of equality with all United States North Atlantic ports in the handling of traffic originating at and destined to points not only in Canada but in the United States."

TRAFFIC STUDIED

Comparing freight rates in Eastern and Western Canada, he pointed out that an accurate opinion could not be formed from paper rates, but that account had to be taken of the traffic actually moved. In the East a large part was played by rates introduced to foster manufacturing and wholesale trade, while in the West extermely low commodity rates had been put in on goods of chief interest to the settlers.

"In the West," he said, "we have rates on grain to Fort William which are by far the lowest in the world, and by reason of the fact that they are applied as maxim to intermediate points the whole grain rate structure is very much reduced. Moreover, since July, 1922, the export grain rates to the Pacific coast have been reduced approximately thirty-five per cent. Grain comprises considerably over fifty per cent. of the traffic moved on Western lines. Furthermore, by reason of the equalization of rates on grain for export to the Canadian ports as compared with the United States ports, this western grain is carried from the Great Lakes to the seaboard on very much lower basis than would normally apply to it."

In this connection Mr. Flintoft added that recent modifications in railway rates had materially reduced disparities which had formerly existed between Eastern and Western carrier charges. Taking $1 as the basis after the reductions made in the western rates case in 1912, rates in Eastern Canada had become $1.89, while those on the prairies were $1.50 and in British Columbia $1.32. He admitted certain rates were still lower in Eastern Canada, but he said these lower rates profited not only Eastern Canadian shippers, but also the Western consumers.

SUTHERLAND BARES COST OF CARIBOO HIGHWAY PROJECT

Province Has Spent $1,889,416 so Far on New Road Along Fraser River

Question of Railway Compensation up Now; Cost of Alberta Link Heavy

Total cost of the new Cariboo Road through the Frases River canyon from Hope to Lytton up to January 1 was $1,889,416, and the cost, exclusive of engineering charges, has been $1,766,092. This information was given in the Legislature by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, in reply to questions by R. H. Pooley, Conservative House Leader.

In giving details of this cost the Minister said that the expense of surveying the road up to the time that construction started had been $19,352. In the engineering figures of $113,323 there was a deduction of $9,499 for preliminary survey expenditure on the Lytton to Spence's Bridge section, making the net engineering costs of the constructed section $103,823, or 5.84 per cent. of the total cost of the work exclusive of engineering.

ASK COMPENSATION FACTS

The Opposition in the Legislature is moving now for the return for all correspondence relating the Provincial Government's claim for compensation for damage to the old Cariboo Road by the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways—a matter which has been under negotiation for some time.

The question of connecting the Cariboo Highway with the Alberta boundary, in an easterly direction from Prince George, via McBride, was the subject of questions asked by the member of Prince George, H. G. Perry. The Minister of Public Works replied that if the abandoned C.N.R. grade were utilized, the estimated cost would be $487,500.

Mr. Perry questioned the Minister in regard to the proposed construction of a road from Barkerville to Goat River on the Canadian National Railway, about 160 miles east of Prince George, and drew the reply that a report had been made to the department about thirteen years ago by Athol Stewart, assistant engineer, who estimated the ocst at $231,000, based on a rough reconnaissance, no allowance being made for contingencies.

The engineer expressed the opinion that it would be poor policy to spend money on this road until further settlement took place. There were twenty-two snow slides on the road, and the estimated cost of snow sheds was $30,000.

MAN RESCUED FROM ICY SUBMERSION BY BRAVERY OF YOUTH

Alan Hedger Makes Gallant Effort to Aid Oliver Gamble in Trineomalie Channel

Ganges Harbor, Jan. 20.—After clinging to an upturned punt for twenty minutes, Oliver Gamble, clam-digger of Sidney, was rescued from drowning in the icy water of Trencomalie Channel on Tuesday night by the pluck of a youth, Alan Hedger, who swam ashore for help. Dragged down by heavy gum boots, Gamble was unable to swim, and was forced to maintain a grip on the wrecked punt until another boat, bearing M. Kosman and Eddie Ryan, arrived to take him ashore.

Gamble was placed in the predicament when his gasoline launch broke down in Trincomalie Channel, just north of Salt Spring Island. The gears went out of commission and his launch started to drift. Gamble immediately began to signal for help and finally attracted the attention of Alan Hedger, who put off from shore in a punt.

When the punt drew alongside, Gamble stepped into it, but in so doing overturned it, precipitating both man and youth into the channel. After attempts to right the small boat had failed, Hedger swam through the icy waters to the shore where he procured the assistance of Ryan and Kosman.

When taken form the water Gamble was chattering with the cold, and it was some time before he was restored to normal warmth. Both man and boy have now recovered from the icy submersion.

FIRE UNDERWRITERS HEAR G. CYRIL HODGE

The regular meeting of the Victoria District Fire Insurance Agents' Association was held in the board room of the Belmont House yesterday, under the presidency of A. C. S. Pitts.

D. W. Campbell reported progress in the matter of the formation of a "logging pool" for British Columbia. A provisional directorate had been formed and prospects for the completion of the pool looked very promising.

S. Clegg reported upon the recent meeting in Vancouver of managers and agents in respect to legislative matters.

Upon conclusion of the regular business G. Cyril Hodge of the British Columbia Fire Underwriters' Association gave an address upon "Forms and Tariff Regulations." Mr. Hodge dealt with the various forms of policy writing, showing the evolution of policy wording from the birth of fire underwriting until today. The purpose of all underwriting companies is to have a complete understanding between the contracting parties, therefore the agent who is the producer of the business must have an educated man's knowledge of the direct meaning of his words and phrases, he must delete all ambiguity and see that his client has complete cover for his risks.

The speaker dealt with the question of co-insurance, a subject much misunderstood, and showed how the tariff regulations were ordered so as to meet the ever-occuring needs of business.

At the conclusion of Mr. Hodge's address several questions were asked concerning important points.

A vote of thanks was unanimously passed to Mr. Hodge upon motion of R. E. Brett and Frank Jordon, which was gracefully acknowledged by the speaker.

On June 21 a joint meeting of the executive committees of the local associations of fire insurance agents of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster will be held in Victoria.

BURNS CLUB ANNUAL DINNER ON TUESDAY

It will be a great night at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium on January 25, when the Burns Club of Victoria will hold its annual dinner, on the 166th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns.

Members and friends to the number of three hundred will enjoy an evening given over to the traditional form of celebration. The only difference this year will be that for the first time in the club's history ladies will grace the function with their presence. In this respect the club is following the example of the oldest Burns Clubs in Scotland.

The "Immortal Memory of Robert Burns" will be proposed by William Mackay. Mr. Mackay has steeped himself in the lore of the poet, and his address will be of a very high order.

His Honor R. Randolph Bruce, honorary president of the club, will be present with Miss Mackenzie and will give the toast to "Canada, the Land of Our Adoption." Other speakers include Mrs. A. M. Boyd, Commander C. T. Nelles, Major Niven, Rev. R. Connell, W. H. Cochrane, J. G. Brown, Neil Pollock, Ira Dilworth and others.

Very careful attention has been given to the musical programme, the services of outstanding artists having been secured for the evening.

Tickets for the dinner, for which early application should be made, may be obtained from George C. Grant, Times Office, W. B. Grant, Spencer's Drug Department, and members of the club's executive.

City Temple to Hold Services at Capitol Theatre

A week from next Sunday the services of the Victoria City Temple will be held in the Capitol Theatre. The move was made by the unanimous vote of the board of management last night in order to have additional attractive features, such as the organ for the church services; the services of Paul Michelin, Capitol Theatre organist; a nearer meeting place to Temple Hall so that teachers and pupils of the School of Religious Education meeting at the North Park edific before the morning service can be more easily present at the morning service.

It is pointed out that the seating capacity of the Capitol Theatre is approximately 140 less than that of the Royal Victoria Theatre, while at the same time the number of seats on the lower floor in both places is exactly the same, namely 800. It was decided by the board to reserve at the evening services, 600 seats on the lower floor and 200 loges seats in the upper balcony for envelope-subscribing members until 7.20 o'clock.

The last services in the Royal will take place next Sunday. Platform accommodation for the choir of the City Temple, which now number fifty in its membership, is rather limited at the Capitol, and as a consequence somewhat different arrangements will be made from those which prevailed at the Royal services. The board of the church has left these arrangements to the choir director and the choir executive and choir membership to work out some plan.

MRS. CHAPLIN INSISTS HER ALIMONY BE PAID

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The setting of the bond was preceded by a clash between Attorney Young, counsel for eighteen-year-old Mrs. Chaplin, and Nat Schmulowitz, of Chaplin's legal staff. During the clash the court interrupted to criticize statements attributed to Nathan Burkan, Chaplin's New York attorney, in which the latter purportedly took exception to Judge Guerin's award of $4,000 monthly temporary alimony for the support of Mrs. Chaplin and her two children.

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I.O.D.E. Chapter Met — The postponed meeting of the Valentine-Harvey-Beaumont-Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at the home of the secretary, Mrs. R. H. Bates, Victoria Avenue, yesterday afternoon. After the usual routine business, nominations for next year's officers were made, after which Mrs. Bates served delicious refreshments.

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EVERETT TRIAL NEARS ITS END

Everett, Wash., Jan. 20 — Defence evidence is being presented to-day at the trial of Edward Lee Fasick, his wife Esther and Frank Ryan, who are accused of murdering Charles R. Harris of Kenosha, Wisconsin.

After the prosecution had closed its case yesterday, Judge Guy C. Alston denied a defence motion for a directed verdict of acquittal. John F. Dore, chief defence counsel, contended no evidence showing where Harris was slain had been introduced.

The prosecution evidence was featured by the testimony of Luke S. May, Seattle criminologist, who swore a knife found in the Fasick home had been used to cut brush, which was placed over the body of Harris after he had been killed. Over objections of the prosecution, the knife and stub ends of the boughs were admitted in evidence.

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FLOGGING IN FRANCE BRINGS SENTENCES; ACCUSED ABSENT

Melun, France, Jan. 20.—Ten members of the fanatical Order of Our Lady of Tears were sentenced by default here yesterday for flogging the Abbe des Noyers, parish-priest at Bombon, a year ago and maltreating his servants.

Two men were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment each and eight women were sentenced to six months each. A fine of 100 francs was also levied in each case. The abbe was awarded 5,000 francs damages and the servants 1,000 francs each.

The case savoring of the spirit of the Dark Ages, aroused nation-wide interest. The members of the fanatical order, which was founded by a former janitress in Bordeaux in 1904, went to Bombon, a village near Melun, determined to expel from the body of Father des Noyers the spirit of evil they said possessed it.

They invaded his sacristy and stripped, gagged and beat him, leaving him in a serious condition.

Marie Mesmin, the ex-janitress, who founded the order, claimed the abbe had cast a spell over her.

NEW RUM ROW

New York, Jan. 20.—Pitcairn Island in the mid-Pacific has a rum row, prohibition agents and speak easies of the most modern type, according to officers of a ship now here. An edict of the native chief, barring all strong drinks, quickly brought the other adjuncts, they say.

AGED PRIEST DIED

Holyoke, Mass., Jan. 20. — Rev. Charles Crevier, eighty-eight, pastor of the Church of the Precious Blood and believed to be dean of Roman Catholic priests in England, died here yesterday. Father Crevier was ordained in Montreal and had been chaplain of the Boys' Reform School there.

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1.25 Krank's Face Powder	.89
.50 Krank's Lather Kreem (tubes)	.33
.50 Aromatic Cascara, 4-oz.	.26
.25 Boracic Ointment	.16
.25 Dr. Reid's Cucumber and Witch-hazel Cream	.16
.75 Parafol (Hair Dressing)	.39
.75 Kotex, 2 for	.95
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.50 Dr. Reid's Solidified Brilliantine	.32
.50 Tincture of Iodine, 4-oz.	.28
.75 Puritall Sugar of Milk, 1-lb. tin	.51
.10 Plantol Soap, 4 for	.26
.30 Insto (Hand Cleaner)	.21
.75 Liquid Petrolatum, 16-oz.	.39
.50 Finest Australian Eucalyptus Oil, 4-oz	.27
.25 Turknit Wash Cloths	.17
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.50 Ipana Tooth Paste	.39
1.50 Kolor-Bak	.98
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LLOYD GEORGE TO OUTLINE HIS PLANS

British Liberal Party Awaits Speech To-night; $1,500,000 Campaign Fund

London, Jan. 20 (Canadian Press Cable).—A capital sum of £300,000 and an annual income of between £40,000 and £50,000 will be placed at the disposal of British Liberal headquarters as a result of the party's acceptance of Lloyd George's offer of financial assistance, according to The London Daily News to-day. This assistance will enable the party to present a full line of battle in the way of candidates in the next general election in Great Britain.

To-night David Lloyd George will elaborate his general position and also probably deliver some arresting sentiments concerning the Liberal Party's domestic state. He has reserved a considerable portion of his electoral funds for the prosecution of his special land and industrial reform campaigns. Obviously, when all these calls have been satisfied, Lloyd George's fund is likely to be considerably diminished after the next election. At the moment he has no intention of withdrawing his financial support immediately after the election, but future action will depend on circumstances as they present themselves.

Lloyd George insists that his present offer is conditional upon the appointment of a neutral organizing committee, distinct from the Asquithian and Georgian factions of the party.

CAROL EXPECTED TO RETURN TO ROUMANIA

Bucharest, Jan. 20 — Queen Marie appears to have been victorious in her long struggle for rehabilitation of her wayward son, Prince Carol. Persistent reports from sources which are far from negligible, together with veiled allusions in the newspapers tend to show the Government has been convinced the only way to clear the air, persistently overcast since Carol renounced his right to the throne, is to recall him.

Premier Averescu and the members of the Cabinet are understood to have practically decided to consent to a reconciliation with Carol, subjeect to certain conditions, in order to obtain necessary support to combat the opposition. In this connection, the party of the Bratiano brothers, who for years have wielded a powerful influence in Roumania, and the party of Premier Averescu are said to be negotiating for a fusion with the National Peasants' Party, which supports Carol, for the formation of a solid bloc.

Everything is dependent on important meetings of the political parties fixed for the end of this week, but in any case the understanding is that a reconciliation between Carol and his family will take place even if the contemplated party fusion fails.

SHOE WHOLESALERS MEET IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Jan. 20.—R. T. Hayes of St. John, N.B., was re-elected president of the Shoe Wholesalers' Association of Canada at the annual meeting of that association here yesterday. J. I. Beaubien, Quebec City, and W. A. Hamilton, Toronto, were re-elected as first and second vice-presidents, respectively. District representatives include: Manitoba, A. Congdon, Winnipeg; Alberta, John Dower, Edmonton; British Columbia, John Damer, Vancouver.

BODIES RECOVERED

Welch, W.Va., Jan. 20.—The bodies of four miners trapped in the Caples mine of the Central Pocahontas Coal Company early yesterday by an explosion were located by rescue workers last night. Finding of the bodies accounted for all the men in the mine at the time of the blast.

W. LAURIE DIED

Saskatoon, Jan. 20.—William Laurie, seventy, founder of the Saskatchewan Herald at Battleford, Sask., forty years ago, a member of the second graduating class of Manitoba College in 1875, pioneer Winnipeg newspaperman and more recently a lawyer at Cardston, Alberta, died last week at Lake Alfred, Florida, relatives at Battleford have been advised.

RAIL WORKER KILLED

Mossbank, Sask., Jan. 20.—About the time the body of his grandson, who was suffocated on Monday, was being lowered into a grave in the Mossbank Cemetery yesterday afternoon, Alfred A. Erickson, sixty-two, C.P.R. section foreman, was killed when an eastbound passenger train hit the hand car he was trying to take off the track near here.

Pacific Milk Users Write

The first batch of Zain contest advertisements to Pacific Milk have arrived and Pacific Milk's committee is diligently at work. We were pleased to note in looking some of the articles over that many of the writers are regular users of Pacific Milk and are writing of it from actual experience.

Pacific Milk
Head Office, Vancouver.
Factories at Abbotsford and Ladner

NOVA SCOTIA TOWN IS TO SELL ITS JAIL

Building in Londonderry For Long Has Been Without a Prisoner

Londonderry, N.S., Jan. 20.—What price is bid for a second-hand jail? Londonderry's jail will go on the block shortly, according to a decision reached by the Colchester County Council, because it has become an expensive luxury.

For twelve years the jail has been without a prisoner except on one or two occasions, only minor offences then being involved.

When the jail was built there were 4,000 people in the town, but with declining industries the population has dwindled to little more than 400 and these are so law-abiding that a jail is unnecessary. So, in a few days bargain seekers will see a jail knocked down to the highest bidder.

LEAGUE DELEGATES DEBATING OPIUM

Geneva, Jan. 20.—China threw a few fireworks at to-day's session of the League of Nations advisory commission on opium.

Chu Chao-Hsin, Chinese delegate on the League Council, bitterly protested that a chart submitted by the experts, showing China produced 15,000 tons of opium annually, was a gross libel on his country.

When Sir John Campbell, president of the commission, intervened to remark that Chu was talking at too great length and without point, Chu accused him of partiality.

The Bolivian delegate announced adherence of Bolivia to the Geneva Opium Convention, with the reservation that she would not undertake to restrict the cultivation and production of the cocoa leaf in her territory nor prohibit consumption of the leaf by the natives.

NAME OF LATE U.S. PRESIDENT MENTIONED AT CALIFORNIA TRIAL

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—The name of the late President Warren G. Harding yesterday became part of the evidence produced in a suit on file in court here in which Colonel Frank E. Webb of the United States Army, retired, is seeking to recover the $8,000 he alleges is due him on promissory notes from Col. Robert McCay, former British army officer.

Col. Webb said that he attended a dinner given by Richard Cole of Pasadena in New York on January 21, 1922, which was attended by United States and Mexican diplomats. Colonel Webb testified that a short time before the dinner was held he got into communication with President Harding's secretary and also with his physician, Dr. Sawyer, and that as a result President Harding and other prominent government officials did not attend the dinner function.

Colonel McCay and Cole, Colonel Webb said, were interested with Col. Webb in several tentative projects which involved a mining venture at Las Vegas, N.M., a plan to dam the Colorado and a general reconstruction programme in Mexico. Colonel Webb said Cole had professed to have considerable influence in Mexican affairs and had displayed a photograph of himself posed with President Obregon.

Chemainus

Chemainus, Jan. 20.—The annual vestry meeting of the Church of St. Michael's was held in the parish room Sunday evening after evensong. The Rev. Basil E. Spurling was in the chair, and there was a representative attendance. After the financial report had been read by the people's warden the financial statement of the Woman's Auxiliary was given. The election of officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Vicar's warden, Mr. Rice; people's warden, Mr. Inglis; church committee, Mrs. Inglis, Mrs. Donald, Mrs. Clake, H. Dobinson, A. E. P. Stubbs, N. F. Lang, E. M. Anketell-Jones and T. H. Toynbee. Delegates to the synod: J. Inglis and E. M. Anketell-Jones. Delegates to the ruridecanal conference: Mesdames H. Dobinson, T. H. Toynbee and A. E. P. Stubbs.

A most enjoyable evening was spent in the Knights of Pythias Hall by Chemainus Review No. 19 Women's Benefit Association, when Mrs. Laura Baker of California, deputy supreme commander, came to visit the review and install the officers for the coming year. The officers and guard team were dressed in white, and wore California poppies in compliment to Mrs. Baker. The guard team were specially noticeable in that they did their work correctly and well. During the evening a bouquet of flowers was presented to Mrs. Baker. After the Review Commander Mrs. R. English had presented benefit certificates to the new members, a very pleasing programme was rendered. A duet by Mrs. Eberts and Mrs. Jaunce, accompanied by the ukulele; a recitation by Mrs. Troop; songs by Mrs. Oscar Olsen and Miss Edith Payne were charmingly rendered. Dainty refreshments were served, and a very enjoyable time was spent.

Mrs. Gatskill and Miss Heneage, who have been visiting in the Capital City for several weeks, have returned home to Thetis Island.

Mrs. C. Cook, who has been visiting friends in Chemainus, has returned home to Ganges.

Mrs. Harris has returned home to Vancouver after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. Robertson, Chemainus.

Mr. and Mrs. Vater have returned to Chemainus after visiting friends in Nanaimo.

ONTARIO DEATH

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 20.—Walter C. Lewis, prominent agriculturist and Liberal leader, died yesterday at Orwell, in his eighty-fourth year.

SIX-MONTH SENTENCE

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—William Snowden, twenty-three, who used a toy pistol in several holdups here, was sentenced yesterday to six months in jail.

To-morrow is 95c Bargain Day at Campbell's

Unusual Bargains in Every Department

350 Pairs of Women's Pure Silk Stockings 95c

Per Pair

350 Pairs of Women's Non-ravel Pure Silk Hose, in all the new popular shades, a good wearing hose and special value at, per pair, 95¢

Thirty-five Smart Silk Dresses Reduced to Clear at $10.95

What a splendid opportunity to purchase a smart new Silk Frock at a tremendous saving. There are dozens of pretty frocks to $10.95

Tailored Spun Silk Blouses, Sizes 34 to 42—A Big Bargain at $5.95

Good quality White Spun Silk Overblouses, well cut and perfect fitting; in sizes 34 to 42. Specially priced for 95c Day at $5.95

A Big Bargain in Women's Fur-trimmed Coats at $19.75 and $25.00

Presenting for 95c Day shoppers in the Coat Section two splendid groups of smart Fur-trimmed Coats that have been very greatly reduced in price to sell Friday at $19.75 and $25.00. You must see these coats to realize the splendid values they represent at $19.75 and $25.00

50 Dozen of Women's All Pure Wool Vests at 95c

Women's All Pure Wool "Kantshrink" Vests, with short sleeves, opera top and strap shoulders. Very special value at ..... 95¢

GUARANTEED UNSHRINKABLE

95c Day Bargains in the Knit Underwear Section

20 Dozen of Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests, in the wanted styles and sizes. Regular 69c. To clear at, 2 for ..... 95¢

Clearing odd lines of Children's Combinations. Formerly priced regular to $2.25 for, per suit, at ..... 95¢

Odd lines and broken sizes of Children's Wool and Silk and Wool Vests. Priced regular up to $2.50. Sale price ..... 95¢

Women's Fleeced Cotton Combinations in all styles and sizes, also a few in wool and silk and wool. Regular to $3.25. To clear at, per suit, $1.69

Hyloom Rayon Silk Bloomers, extra fine quality, white and colors. Regular $3.50 for, per pair, ... $2.95

One Hundred Women's Flannelette Nightgowns at 95c

Women's Good Quality White Flannelette Nightgowns, slip-over style, neatly trimmed with lace. Very special value for 95c Day shoppers at 95¢

95c Day Bargains in the Corset Section

Back-hooking Brassieres of fancy pink material with elastic at waist, in sizes 32 to 42. Special at ..... 39¢

Back-lacing Corsets and Non-lacing Girdles, in white or fancy brocade, full range of sizes from 24 to 35. Very special at $2.95

Perfect Fitting Girdles for the average and full figure. Made of brocade with knit elastic. Broken sizes 24 to 34. Special at $4.95

Nemo-reducing Corsets for stout figures, made with elastic reducing belt, medium bust; sizes 26 to 32. To clear at $6.95

Women's Flannelette Bloomers, Very Special at 95c Per Pair

Women's Flannelette Bloomers, in regular and outsizes, good quality and good value at, per pair ..... 95¢

BARONETTE SATIN PRINCESS SLIPS
REGULAR TO $7.25 FOR $4.95

Hosiery Bargains for 95c Day

Ladies' Fancy Wool and Silk and Wool Hose, odd lines and broken sizes. Regular up to $2.50 per pair to clear at, per pair ..... 95¢

Clearing odd lines of Children's Top Sox, and ¾-length Fine Cashmere Socks, values up to $1.00 to clear at, 3 pairs for ..... 95¢

Women's Cashmere Plaited and Ribbed Artificial Silk Hose, in all the wanted colors. Very special value at, per pair ..... 79¢

10 Dozen Good Fitting Corselettes FRIDAY 95c

Corselettes of fancy pink coutil, lightly boned at front, elastic over hip, side hooking; sizes 32 to 38. Special at 95¢

Rayon Princess Slips, $2.95

Rayon Silk Princess Slips, shadow proof to waist, pleat at side, colors of navy, sand, grey and black. Sale price $2.95

Dainty Voile Nightgowns, Very Special Value at $1.95

Pretty Colored Voile Nightgowns, daintily trimmed with lace. Choose from colors of pink, maize and sky. A real bargain at $1.95

95c Day Glove Bargains

Clearing odd lines of Duplex Fabric Gloves, in light and dark colors, at, per pair, 95¢

Women's Cape Kid and Velbian Suede Gloves, odd lines and broken sizes. Only a limited quantity to clear at, per pair ..... 95¢

Kayser Novelty Chamoisette Gloves with neat fancy turn-back or flare cuffs, all good colors; sizes 6½, 7 and 7½. To clear at, per pair .. 79¢

Women's Black Kid Gloves, in sizes 5½ and 5¾ only standard qualities, out they go at, per pair ..... 25¢

Women's Cotton Crepe Kimonas at $1.95

Well made Cotton Crepe Kimonos, in pretty colors, trimmed with satin ribbon and embroidery; sizes 36 to 44. Special at $1.95

Ladies' Wool Pullover Sweaters—A Bargain at $3.95 and $4.95

Two very special groups of Knitted Wool Pullover Sweaters, with V necks and Eton collars, plain and fancy styles to select from at $3.95 and $4.95

Marabou Capes and Stoles Reduced to $4.95

All greatly reduced for a quick clearance, Fine French Marabou Capes and Stoles, in black and brown. To clear at $4.95

Girls' English Raincapes, $2.95

Girls' English Raincapes for ages 6 to 14 years. Regular up to $4.50. Special for 95c Day at $2.95

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MR. PATTULLO'S COMPLETE ANSWER

THE PUBLIC WILL FIND A GOOD DEAL of important information upon which it may rely regarding our timber exports in the speech which Hon. T. D. Pattullo delivered in the Legislature on Tuesday afternoon. The Minister apparently considered it advisable to deal in detail with the subject with which he is thoroughly familiar because the Government has been attacked on numerous occasions for what its critics have described as a policy which permits the export of altogether too much of our timber in the raw state. Repeatedly has the charge been made by Conservative speakers and newspapers that the major part of this material has gone into the United States to be manufactured into finished articles at the expense of British Columbia's industrial expansion. In his recent speeches on the Mainland, by implication if not in a definite statement, Dr. Tolmie once more has made the same charge. His contention is that if the policy were to be reversed, if the logs now exported were to be kept in the Province, there would be more employment for British Columbia workmen and a greater measure of conservation of our forest wealth.

Let us examine some of the salient points which our Conservative friends may verify if they are desirous of substituting facts for political propaganda. It is important to remember, when considering the charge that the Government is sanctioning a policy which is dissipating our forest wealth without thought for the future, that the annual cut in British Columbia is under the annual growth. The next charge is a double one. The critics of the Government's timber policy have repeatedly said that it is nothing short of criminal to export so many logs in their raw state, and that the offense assumes a much more serious aspect because nearly all these logs go to the United States, and assist that country to expand those industries into which timber enters. Mr. Pattullo dealt with the first part of the charge by showing that the total cut in British Columbia last year was 3,000,000,000 feet, and that the export of logs in the raw in proportion to the total cut was about seven per cent. or four per cent. less than the export of raw material from little Finland. In regard to the second part of the charge, the Minister showed that out of the 225,000,000 feet in logs that left British Columbia last year, 170,000,000 FEET WENT TO JAPAN AND NOT TO THE UNITED STATES AT ALL. And, what is more informative still, only about 50,000,000 feet of these were cut from licensed areas under the control of the Government. Incidentally, of course, the United States is itself an exporter of logs in the raw, and the quantity which the republic imports from British Columbia "is a negligible factor in relation to its total operations."

Apart from the well-known fact that most of these raw logs are of low grade timber and not easily marketable when they come into competition with European timbers—as they do—it will be observed that the answer which Mr. Pattullo has given to his critics is conclusive. At any rate it will show that the talk of dissipating our forest resources is buncombe. Nor should it be forgotten that in the preparation of the export of those logs to Japan—with a small proportion to the United States—a good deal of employment is found for British Columbians. What would these people do for a living if their means of livelihood were cut off? If our Conservative friends really meant what they said, they would create unemployment in the lumbering industry and send our workmen—not logs—to the United States.

NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS

CANADA'S SWIMMING HERO IS REALizing the truth of the old adage that nothing succeeds like success. Toronto wants him home to do the honors. No doubt he would like to go. On the other hand, very large sums of money are beckoning him to stay in the neighborhood of his triumph. Since his main object in entering the great test in the Catalina Channel was an attempt to win enough money to help his mother, and in view of the fact that most of her savings went in financing his journey to California, we shall hazard the guess that he will "make hay while the sun shines" and forego Toronto's civic honors until he feels that he has amply provided for his parent and made some provision for himself. Nobody will accuse him of selfish materialism; he would not be human if he were to spurn the numerous offers which have been made to him. Nor is there anything altruistic about the motives of those who are directing his pen to the dotted line. They want his services because he can earn more money for them than they will pay him. So, as has been said, "leave the boy alone," and let him capitalize his great achievement while he may. It is to be hoped, however, that before long he will return to Canada. This country needs as many young men of his fine type as it can get.

UP TO THE OPPOSITION

MOST GOVERNMENTS IN THIS AND other countries of the Empire find it very difficult to get their legislation ready in time to deal with it early in the session. British Columbia is no exception from the rule. Nor is any party particularly to blame. The individual also is a victim of the habit of putting-off. But the Opposition in the local Legislature has been especially bitter in its denunciation of what it has called the Government's deliberate postponement until nearly the end of the session of matters which should have careful and unhurried consideration.

Mr. Manson, however, gave the House an opportunity on Tuesday of discussing a measure which is intended to prevent the formation of combines to handle primary agricultural products. Surely this is important legislation; yet the Opposition was not inclined to deal with it and asked the Attorney-General to permit it to stand over for the time being. By all indications, moreover, there will be no ground for complaint this year, since there already is a large budget of legislation before the House.

ANOTHER BUTTER SHORTAGE

WHEN THE CANADIAN-AUSTRALIAN trade treaty was being discussed in the House of Commons one of its leading critics solemnly informed that body that its operation was sounding the death-knell of the dairy industry of Canada. The Minister of Agriculture informed the House of the number of pounds—and there were many thousands—which had to be brought back from Great Britain to meet the shortage in this country. It was rather a blow to the anti-treatyites.

If history is not repeating itself, what does this item from the market page of yesterday's Vancouver Daily Province mean:

> Butter is expected to remain steady for the remainder of the present month.
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> Importations from New Zealand, amounting to 17,500 boxes, which was the amount of the last cargo, have served to offset the shortage.
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> One of the larger dealers who shipped a big supply of butter from the prairies to the British market has brought 9,500 boxes of it back again. Soon after the shipment was made to England the price there dropped. Then the supplies in Canada showed signs of being short and the butter was held in storage. With the continued shortage throughout the West the exporter found it would be profitable to bring part of the butter back.
>
> After its trip to England and short sojourn there it is now being served on the tables of the Western Canadian consumers.

From the foregoing report on the butter situation it would hardly appear that imports from the Antipodes are sounding the death-knell of the dairy industry in this country.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

BLESS 'EM

From The Toronto Star

The students at Cambridge have adopted a resolution that "women ought to be abolished." We trust that this action will be carefully considered before being gone on with.

BEST SINCE SHAKESPEARE?

Stark Young, in The New Republic

About Gilbert and Sullivan there can be little to say that has not been said a thousand times. But I may add that for me every time I see one of their works the conviction grows that theirs is the most abundant and racial thing in the English theatre since Shakespeare.

Queer Quirks of Nature

By ARTHUR N. PACK

The great naturalist, Linnaeus, once said, "Nature is the most marvelous in the smallest of her creatures."

The writer once stood for an hour on the elevated platform of an "L" station in Chicago's loop and watched the long column of a parade as it passed below. Nearly every marcher carried aloft a green banner, and the whole pageant bore a startling resemblance to a long line of parasol ants homeward bound, carrying aloft green banners which have been cut from the leaves of trees, and which fragments have been industriously cut and hoisted to position.

Ant Carrying Leaf

These green banners are enormous in comparison to the size of the ants who carry them. Riding gaily home on these banners oftentimes will be seen one or more small ants which accompanied the larger ants to their work and which act in the capacity of secret service men in keeping away a dreaded enemy fly.

This fly seeks to deposit its eggs in or around the mouth of the working ant, who has no time itself to be on the lookout for the dreaded insect which seeks to infest it with the parasites.

These tiny flies are viciously attacked and driven away by the body-guard, and for this good work—or so it appears—are given a free ride home on the swaying banners.

After the fragments of leaves are cut and hoisted to a perpendicular position, which is often accomplished with a great deal of difficulty, they are carried to the ants' underground nests, chewed up and moistened, and a sort of compost made, which is spread out and then sprinkled with the spores of a certain kind of fungus called Rozites gongylophosa, which is to the parasol ant what mushrooms are to us. This fungus is the food upon which the parasol ant lives.

A THOUGHT

It is not good that the man should be alone.—Gen., ii., 18.

They are never alone that are accompanied by noble thoughts.—Sir Philip Sidney.

Do You Mean What You Say?

'JACK STRAW'

"JACK STRAW"

It is not recorded that the original "Jack Straw" was a man of chaff who turned hither and thither as the political winds blew. However, that was the name or nickname, of one of the prominent leaders of the Peasants' Revolt of 1381. There is an allusion to him in Chaucer's "Nun's Prologue" which occasioned the popularization of the name to signify a worthless sort of person, "a man of straw."

Canadian Questions and Answers

CANADA'S WHEAT SHIPMENTS

Q.—What were Canada's wheat shipments in 1926?

A.—During 1926 Canada shipped 141,995,286 bushels of wheat to the United Kingdom via United States ports, and 56,406,715 via Canadian ports. To other foreign ports Canada shipped 179,060 bushels of wheat via United States ports and 56,406,715 bushels via Canadian ports. Canada will never be contented until a very much larger percentage of her wheat is shiped from her own ports.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, January 20, 5 a.m.—The pronounced cold wave continues to move southward on the Pacific Slope, and intense cold extends from Kamloops eastward to Ontario.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.09; temperature, maximum yesterday, 33; minimum, 26; wind, 32 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 38; minimum, 18; wind, 4 miles S.E.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 6 below; minimum, 18 below; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, minimum yesterday, 20 below; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 20; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 26; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 36; minimum, 32; wind, 24 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles N.; snow, 5.8 inches; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 36; minimum, 26; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N.W.; rain, .36; weather, cloudy.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	33	26
Vancouver	38	18
Penticton	14	..
Nelson	16	..
Kaslo	15	..
Swift Current	—8	—30
Calgary	2	—16
Edmonton	—8	—26
Qu'Appelle	—8	—38
Regina	—8	—27
Winnipeg	—2	—36
Moose Jaw	—8	—31
Toronto	40	..
Ottawa	40	..
Montreal	38	..
St. John	40	..
Halifax	38	..

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

THOSE WICKED BOLSHEVISTS

To the Editor:—In Sunday's Colonist under the caption "Thirty-six-hour Week Established by Soviet," I note the following: Thirty-six hour working week for office and mental workers and for those who work underground. Children under fourteen not allowed to work. For junior workers over fourteen a four-hour day. Women employees about to become mothers receive two months' leave of absence with pay before the birth of child, as well as two months after confinement. Women nursing their children are also allowed time off during working hours without reduction in pay, and are insured against employment in harmful or particularly arduous work. And last, but not least, "the new laws also provide that all workers shall receive a month's vacation every year."

Is there anything particularly wicked about these measures? After all that has been said and is still being continually reiterated against the rule of the Bolshevists in Russia and the aims of the communists elsewhere, is this the sort of evidence to warrant universal condemnation?

If such laws are the fruits of the tree of communism, by its fruit must we judge it. From this evidence it would appear that most of the calumny directed against the dictatorship of the wicked Bolshevists is prompted by the fear of the few that if the truth of what is being done in Russia for struggling humanity should become known, the many of other countries might emulate their wickedness.

TRUTH SEEKER.

Jan. 17, 1927.

Kirk's Wellington 139

MAYBLOOM TEA

The Triumph of Expert Tea Blending Now Reduced Price at Your Grocers

ASKS COLD STORAGE PLANT INSTEAD OF LONDON B.C. HOUSE

Woodward Would Take Expense of Agent-General and Build Facilities Here

Scheme Would Market Agricultural Products and Prove Success, He Says

To aid the farmers of British Columbia and open up large new markets for British Columbia business, Charles Woodward, Liberal, Vancouver, urged the Legislature yesterday to provide for the establishment of a large cold storage plant on the Coast. To finance this scheme Mr. Woodward proposed that B.C. House in London, be abolished, and the money usually devoted to its upkeep be used to pay for the cold storage facilities urgently needed here.

Nothing would be of greater value to the farmers of the Province than this scheme, Mr. Woodward declared, and nothing would prove a better investment in a business way.

LEADERSHIP NEEDED

Mr. Woodward declared in opening that the need of British Columbia was business, not political leadership, to develop its tremendous resources.

He warned the Government that Liberals would be voting for labor men pretty soon, "if we don't get a move on over on this side of the House." He added that politicians of all parties were prone to spend money recklessly to get votes, instead of considering all projects on a purely business basis.

Mr. Woodward rocked the House with laughter and made Mr. Oliver almost helpless with mirth as he declared that the Premier, in his Pacific Great Eastern Railway speech, had been suffering not from pessimism about the railway's future but from the breakage of his braces. Just what this mysterious reference meant the House did not quite understand, but it found the suggestion largely amusing.

FRUIT PROBLEMS

Mr. Woodward, becoming serious, strongly urged action to aid the fruit growers of the interior of the Province. The fruit industry, he said, was suffering seriously from excessive transportation rates on its fruit. In addition to rate reductions the fruit industry urgently required cold storage facilities on the Coast to provide part fruit cargoes for overseas shipment. American interests were getting ahead of Canadians in this way, he said, by lining up farmers' crops and arranging their overseas shipments. With cold storage facilities here all surplus fruit could be sold and the present glut of markets prevented.

This scheme, Mr. Woodward insisted, was not visionary, but thoroughly practical and would return good dividends.

ABOLISH B.C. HOUSE

Abolition of B.C. House in London and the use of some of the money thus saved annually in the establishment of the proposed cold storage plant was advocated by Mr. Woodward. He did not believe that B.C. House was returning enough in the form of advertising or otherwise to justify its existence. It was supposed to be an advertising medium, he said, but the sale of B.C. products direct to British retailers with the use of cold storage would be a far better advertisement for this Province.

EARLY OPERATION

This whole scheme could be put into operation within three months by competent business men, Mr. Woodward declared. At least, it could be used by next Fall.

"You can't spend money any better than in this way and you can't do anything that would help the farmers of the Province more effectively," he said.

RIFLE SHOOTING

Competition for the Victoria-Phoenix Challenge Cup will start in the miniature ranges to-morrow evening.

The Fifth Regiment, Canadian Scottish, 388th Cadet Battalion and 112th Cadet Battalion will shoot to-morrow and on the following Friday the University School, the Garrison, C.A.S.C., C.M.G.R., the Navy and the Signal Company will shoot.

Shooting will commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

Teams will consist of six men.

The Canadian Scottish Rifle Association will hold a practice on the miniature range at the Armories this evening at 8 o'clock. A full turn-out of members is requested as it is necessary to pick a team to represent the battalion in the Victoria-Phoenix competition, to be shot to-morrow evening.

Racquet Tourney

Montreal, Jan. 19.—Preliminary play was started yesterday in the Canadian racquets championships here and the results did not provide any upsets, he results:

Singles—C. C. Pell, New York, defeated R. M. Hedmond, Montreal 15-2, 18-14, 15-5; G. H. Turpin, Montreal, defeated G. R. Fearing, Boston, 14-16, 15-7, 15-8, 15-4.

Doubles—Prelinghuysen and Coulter, New York, defeated F. C. Dobell and N. M. Scott, Montreal 15-6, 15-10, 15-4.

EX-SERVICE MEN HAVE GREAT TASK SPEAKER DECLARES

Ian Mackenzie Outlines Objectives at Britannia Post Banquet

Amendments to the Pension Act to make greater provision for the widows of ex-soldiers, a broadening of the powers of the Federal Appeal Board and legislation which will assure terms to enable veterans who have settled on the land to make a success of their farms were pointed to as among many objectives for the newly formed Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League by Ian C. Mackenzie in a speech at the annual banquet of the Britannia Post held last night.

Bearing in mind that the Britannia Post sprang from the old Great War Veterans' Association he was prompted to touch upon the splendid record of achievement of the old G.W.V.A.

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"Well might those letters G.W.V.A. stand for Great Work Victoriously Accomplished," said the speaker after touching upon the work of the G.W.V.A. When the great task of demobilization was on the G.W.V.A. guarded the rights of the widows, the orphans and the disabled men. The result of their efforts was shown in much legislation on the statute books for the benefit of the war's victims. Outstanding among the benefits ex-service men had secured was the appointment of the Ralston Commission, which traveled through Canada to study pensions matters and re-stablishment. Also as a result of their work they would note Federal budget for pensions for those who were entitled to them.

There were many matters still to be attended to and the Canadian Legion should take in hand those things which the other organizations had started, but had left unfinished. There was a Pension Appeal Board the scope of which much be broadened. There was a clause in the Pension Act which must be changed. He referred to that providing that a widow who married after the appearance of an ex-soldier's disability was not entitled to pension after his death.

They must also see that the men of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, who since their return had taken up farming, were given such terms that they could make a success of their enterprizes.

Mr. Mackenzie recalled the amalgamation of the ex-service men's organizations in Canada with the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League and of the unanimity of the decision of the Great War Veterans' Association at its Dominion convention to become part of the new movement.

Mr. Mackenzie's speech was in reply to the toast of the British Empire Service League proposed by W. G. Stone.

FOR WORLD PEACE

"We as ex-service men," said Mr. Stone, "can appreciate the great work for world peace that can be undertaken by such a mighty organization as the British Empire Service League whose ramifications cover the "British Isles," England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales; Australia, South Africa, Rhodesia, New Zealand, India and those great British bulwarks, Gibraltar, Malta and Singapore. We must not forget Newfoundland, who from its inception has never failed to give a helping hand on all matters appertaining to the welfare of the league, and last, but not least, the finest country of all the British Commonwealth of Nations, the Dominion of Canada.

"When we look at a world map and study the distances between the various units of the league and the good each member organization is doing and can do for the betterment of mankind, we then begin to realize the necessity of each ex-service organization in every country being emrged into one great harmonious body."

The development of the British Commonwealth of Nations and world peace, was the great objective of the league, he said.

Sarnia Golfer Wins

St. Augustine, Fla., Jan. 20.—Donald McKay of Sarnia, Ont., defeated Judge Gorge Jackson of St. Augustine in the first round of the Florida East Coast golf championship yesterday. The score was 3 to 2.

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CITY OF VANCOUVER TO HONOR COATES

Premier of New Zealand to be Guest at Civic Banquet Saturday Night

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Rt. Hon. J. G. Coates, Premier of New Zealand, has accepted an invitation of Mayor L. D. Taylor and the City Council of Vancouver to be the guest of honor at a civic banquet to be given in the Hotel Vancouver Saturday evening.

Premier Coates will arrive in Vancouver Saturday morning and leave Sunday evening for San Francisco. The civic banquet is expected to be his only opportunity for a public address in this Province.

LIVELY DEBATE ON RED CROSS PLANS

Vancouver, Jan. 20 — At the annual meeting of the British Columbia division of the Canadian Red Cross Society here yesterday, it was decided to report to headquarters at Ottawa that a deadlock had been reached over the recommended removal of Provincial headquarters from Vancouver to Victoria. A telegram requesting the Dominion executive to withdraw this contingent clause to its grant for the present year was dispatched to headquarters. Pending the decision from Ottawa the election of officers for the division was postponed.

Constitutional issues and points of order were frequently raised during the lively discussion. A motion to set aside the constitution by granting Kamloops five votes was defeated, and the branch was allowed the three votes to which the naming of three certified delegates entitled it.

In opening the meeting the president, Archbishop de Pencier, pointed out that the Dominion executive, in designating British Columbia's part in a nation-wide money raising campaign, had made the division's annual grant contingent upon the appointing of a commission and removal of the headquarters from this city to Victoria.

This was the main issue before the meeting, he declared.

INFORMATION NEEDED

Opposition to the move immediately manifested itself. Bishop Schofield of Victoria suggested the branches had not clearly understood the issues involved when they declared their feelings in the matter. He recommended that a sub-committee be appointed to put the matter clearly before the branches, pointing out that the peace programme for the year depended upon the acceptance of the recommendation from Ottawa.

An amendment was finally accepted to the effect that the Dominion headquarters be notified of the deadlock.

An amendment to the amendment resolving that the issue be placed in the hands of an impartial committee which would explain both sides of the argument to the local organizations, resulted in an even division and led to the debate on the number of votes to which the delegates from Kamloops were entitled.

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MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Tony Morelli, taxi driver, was blamed for the death of John Paton Lawson by the coroner's jury which yesterday afternoon investigated the fatal injury of the man by an automobile driven on University Avenue, Point Grey, Monday morning.

Immediately following the accident, Morelli was arrested on a charge of reckless driving, and upon the death of the victim a few hours later, the manslaughter charge was laid. He is held by the Point Grey authorities.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Daily Times, January 20, 1902

The mineral output of the Province during 1901 was valued at $20,713,501, an increase of approximately $4,000,000 over the previous year, according to figures released by W. F. Robertson, provincial mineralogist.

The Phaeton has been dispatched to search for H.M.S. Condor off the entrance to the Straits.

Royal Standard Egg-Laying Contest

1926-1927

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Week No. 11, Ending January, 16, 1927

5-Bird Pens

	Eggs for Week	Total Eggs
S.C.W. LEGHORNS		
F. W. Appleby, Mission	26	229
Bains & O'Farrell, Cobble Hill	21	136
S. Barnard, Cloverdale	27	197
C. E. Barnhart, Vancouver	28	263
Bolivar Leghorn Farm, Cloverdale	27	239
E. L. Braithwaite, Hatzic	15	178
J. Cairns, Fulford Harbor	28	248
J. Chalmers, Haney	17	163
F. T. Copithorne, Victoria	21	188
E. J. Davidson, Vancouver	2	168
East Burnaby Poultry Farm, Westminster	14	199
F. C. Evans, Abbotsford	10	199
Farrington Bros., New Westminster	19	172
E. S. Flowerdew, Coghlan	27	238
W. Forsyth, New Westminster	21	234
G. Fortin & Sons, Sperling	17	232
G. W. Gellett, Victoria	11	77
C. G. Golding, Qualicum Beach	21	140
A. Greenwood, Chilliwack	21	225
C. Grocock & Sons, New Westminster	17	233
A. Hawkins, Haney	9	109
Heller Bros., Sperling	26	225
G. Hunter, Milner	19	219
S. Iveson, E. Wellington	19	210
Kennedy Bros., South Westminster	7	209
A. C. E. Knott, Sperling	14	257
A. V. Lang, Victoria	26	168
A. Mains, New Westminster	12	168
J. J. Mead, Fort Langley	23	253
C. Metcalf, Hammond	15	209
P. C. Mollett, Fulford Harbor	23	211
J. H. Mufford & Sons, Milner	16	207
A. Neil, New Westminster	12	69
F. Paterson, West Vancouver	21	171
Racecroft Poultry Farm, Burnaby Lake	18	128
J. Reid, Fulford Harbor	27	165
A. Robertson, New Westminster	11	132
Rump & Sendall, Sperling	19	164
A. W. Schofield, New Westminster	20	251
M. S. Schofield, New Westminster	18	244
Shannon Bros., Cloverdale	18	193
A. W. Simpson, Ladysmith	18	169
C. T. Simpson, Vancouver	26	237
Simpson & Holland, Haney	24	201
Smith Bros., Surrey Centre	16	183
P. Smith & Sons, New Westminster	20	117
H. H. Sparling, Hammond	7	141
J. W. Spence, New Westminster	5	190
Surreydene Poultry Farm, Surrey Centre	20	161
T. Thomson, New Westminster	14	141
F. E. Tuckey, Victoria	27	159
University of B.C., Vancouver	8	183
R. T. Vyvyan, Saanichton	11	190
G. Ward, New Westminster	22	188
G. Williams, Burquitlam	27	172
WHITE WYANDOTTES		
Elderton Bros., Victoria	14	249
W. I. Heard, Vancouver	30	203
Maple Leaf Farm, New Westminster	5	21
A. C. Marshall, N. Lonsdale	25	*286
S.C.R.I. REDS		
J. Goodman, New Westminster	28	254
W. O. Robins, Vancouver	19	196

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FRIDAY

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Light Weight Bloomers; sizes 36 to 44. On sale, each **50c**

Women's Rayon Silk Vests, shades white, pink, peach, and mauve; sizes 36 to 42. Each **59c**

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—Women's Knit Underwear, First Floor

Art Needlework Bargains For Friday

36-inch Ecru Linen Table Centres in a variety of designs. Values to $2.00. On sale, each **$1.00**

Ecru Cushions, stamped for embroidery, many attractive designs, regular $1.25. On sale, each ..... **69¢**

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Glossilla Rope Silks, special, 3 skeins for ..... **10¢**

—Art Needlework, First Floor

Girls' Flannel Dresses

Friday Bargains

Smart Flannel Dresses in a variety of styles to suit ages 8, 10 and 12 years. Shown in fawn, green, maize, henna and saxe. Regular $7.50 values. On sale for..... **$4.95**

Children's Dresses of flannel and gabardine, two-piece styles; sizes for 8 to 12 years. Regular $5.95 values. On sale for..... **$3.75**

Children's Flannel Panty Dresses in shades of fawn, blue, henna, green and maize.. Trimmed with smocking and colored stitching; sizes for 2, 3 and 4 years. Regular $5.75. On sale for **$3.75**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Sale of Bon Ton Corsets

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Bon Ton Corsets, back lace model suitable for the average figure, made of striped batiste with elastic top, boned with black boning, and finished with four hose supporters. On sale for ... **$3.50**

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Shoulders of Pork, 5 to 7 lbs., per lb.	19¢	Mince Steak, Oxford Sausage, per lb.	12¢
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Boneless Legs of Veal, 3 to 5 lbs., per lb.	28¢	Shoulder Steak, per lb.	13¢
Thick Brisket of Veal, per lb.	11¢	Round Steak, per lb., 19¢ and	15¢
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Fillet Roasts of Veal, per lb.	35¢	Fancy Fowl, 4 to 6 lbs., per lb.	30¢
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3 tins Carnation Milk		Essex Corn, 3 tins for	34c
1 tin Jarger Norwegian Sardines	Both for 45c	1 lb. Marrowfat Peas	All for 35c
1 tin Crab Meat		1 lb. Split Beans	
White Wonder Soap, 5 bars for	24c	1 lb. Brown Beans	
Libby's Pork and Beans, 2 tins for	23c	1 lb. Best White Beans	
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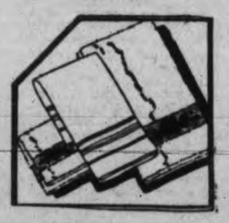

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Bulk Gloss Laundry Starch, 3-lb. bag .....20¢	Dishco Sliced Pineapple, 2 large tins .....25¢
Boracic Acid Powder, lb. .....18¢	Empress Jelly Powders, 4 pkts. 25¢
Powdered Borax, lb. .....10¢	
Carolina Rice, the genuine. 2 lbs. .....25¢	Empress Mincemeat, Large jar, reg. 85c for .....65¢
B. & K. Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack 45c	Pure Honey in bulk (Send your containers), lb. 20c
Flake Butter Crackers, reg. 35c pkt. for .....28¢	Broken Butterscotch, reg. 35c lb., 28¢
Christie's Salted Soda Crackers, 20c packet for .....17½¢	Rum and Butter Toffee, Reg. 55c lb., per lb. .....45¢
Biscuits, reg. 40c pkt. for ....32¢	Crystalized Ginger, Reg. 45c lb. for .....35¢
Huntley & Palmer's Coronation	
Christie's Graham Wafers, Reg. 70c tin for .....65¢	Old-fashioned Brown Mixed Candy, reg. 25c lb. Special .....18¢
Vanilla Sandwich Biscuit, fresh from the oven, 1-lb. carton. Regular 35c for 24c	
Sweet Navel Oranges, Reg. 40c, to-day, dozen 31c	Fine Cooking Apples, 75 boxes only, to sell at, box $1.35
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SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS AND CLUB NEWS

PROVINCIAL P.-T. A. PLAN CONVENTION

Annual Gathering to be Held in Vancouver in March

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—The annual convention of the Provincial Parent-Teacher Federation will be held March 25 and 26, it was decided at a recent executive meeting. Miss Anderson, provincial president, will act as convener of the programme, assisted by Mrs. J. Stuart Jamieson, Mrs. T. C. Rae, Mrs. W. H. Smith and Mrs. W. H. Brown.

In conjunction with the B.C. Teachers' Federation, plans are being made for the 1927 goodwill day programme and activities are being continued on the Home Economics Endowment Fund campaign. An earnest appeal is being made for volunteers to assist in the general canvass.

A letter of appreciation is being sent to the Canadian Daughters' League for its donation of large copies of the Weir version of "O Canada," for every Parent-Teacher Association, with smaller copies for every classroom.

The executive committee will meet again February 19.

MRS. J. LONGFIELD IS LAID AT REST

Impressive Service at St. Andrew's Church Attended By Many

An impressive service was held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon over the remains of the late Mrs. Jesse Longfield, the church being thronged with friends, musical associates and members of the general public to whom her beauful voice had so often given pleasure. Among those present to pay a last tribute of respect to a beloved singer was His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay in his address eulogized the late Mrs. Longfield, paying tribute to her intimate relations with the church, her devoted home life, and her long record of willing service to the community. Two hymns were sung by the choir: "Pleasant Are Thy Courts Above" and "Oh, Safe to The Rock That Is Higher Than I." Edward Parsons presided at the organ at the special request of Mr. Longfield.

Floral designs covered the casket, and two cars were needed to carry the flowers.

The pallbearers were: W. Melville, W. Wright, C. A. Griffiths, F. Francis, E. V. Finland and J. Mason. Interment was at the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Flowers were sent by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Miss Mackenzie and staff, Government House, the Five C's Cricket Club, Ladies' Musical Club, First United Church Choir, Bandmaster Miller and 16th Scottish Band, Schubert Club, Victoria Lodge No. 2 B.P.O.E., Gyro Club, Rotary Club, Victoria Burns Club, St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society, Arion Club, Musicians' Union, Victoria Women's Institute, the Bridge Club, Ladies' Aid Hollywood Presbyterian, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Mission, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Women's Guild, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Choir, teachers, officers and scholars, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, St. Andrew's Young Women's Missionary Society, St. Andrew's Young People's Missionary Society, and St. Andrew's Andreans.

The arrangements were in the hands of the B. C. Funeral Company.

Dramalogue Will Assist Y.W.C.A. Fund

Major Bullock-Webster is presenting "Please Help Emily," a dramalogue, on Wednesday, January 26, at 8 o'clock, in the Campbell Building, in aid of the Young Women's Christian Association, under the auspices of the membership committee. Tickets are now on sale at the association office, 745 Yates Street, or from members of the board.

On Thursday, January 20, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Men's Association of the United Church, Dean Quainton will speak on "The Use and Abuse of English Words." This will be an open meeting.

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SOCIETY

Capt. Thorp-Doubble of Victoria is in Vancouver for a few days, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Banks.

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Mr. and Mrs. West of Cobble Hill and A. V. A. Hunt of Cowichan are at the Hotel Strathcona.

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Mr. and Mrs. Colin Matheson of Winnipeg have arrived in the city to spend the balance of the Winter.

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Miss Amy Limont of Rockland Avenue is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. C. Buchanan in Vancouver.

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Mr. John Hart of Vancouver passed through Victoria yesterday on his way to Seattle.

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Dr. P. McDonald of Edmonton is spending a few days in Victoria, and is a guest at the Dominion Hotel.

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The many friends of Mr. J. R. Simons of St. Patrick Street, will regret to hear he is a patient at the Jubilee Hospital.

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Mrs. Louis Frankenburg of Vancouver has come over to spend a month here, owing to the illness of her father, Rev. Dr. Friedlander.

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Mr. W. E. Scott of Salt Spring Island is spending a few days in the city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Beaven, Beach Drive.

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Miss Maraquita Nichol of Rockland Avenue will leave to-morrow for Vancouver, where she will spend the week-end as the guest of Miss Mary Procter.

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The many friends of Miss Bobbie Ross, Boyd Street, will regret to hear she is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

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Mr. H. Maliek of Mallek's Limited, Douglas Street, left yesterday afternoon for Seattle en route to Toronto, Montreal and New York on his semi-annual purchasing trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stowe of Sooke, who are visiting in Vancouver, were guests of honor at a bridge party given by Mrs. E. R. Goulding on Tuesday.

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Miss Margaret Rosher, Quebec Street, left last week for Hollywood, California, to join her sister, Miss Phyllis Rosher, with whom she will make her home.

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Hon. Dr. Sutherland and Mrs. W. H. Sutherland entertained at a dinner party at their home on Foul Bay Road last evening when their guests were members of the Legislature. Covers were laid for twelve.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilanski of Montreal, who have been visiting in Victoria as guests at the Empress Hotel, will leave Victoria to-morrow, the former for his home in Quebec, and the latter for California, on a visit.

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Mr. C. G. Cowan of Kamloops has arrived in Victoria on his annual visit, and has taken Mr. Beauchamp Tye's home on Wilmot Place for his residence during his stay here. Mrs. Cowan will join Mr. Cowan in Victoria in a few days.

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Announcement has been made in Vernon that the marriage will take place early next week of Miss Cameron, granddaughter of the late Sir Charles Tupper and niece of Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and Mr. Charles McIntosh, only son of Hon. Charles McIntosh and Mrs. McIntosh of Ottawa. The groom-elect is a brother of Mrs. H. McGivern of Victoria and of Mrs. Flemming of Ottawa.

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Miss Helen Tatlow of Vancouver and Miss Constance Nanton of Winnipeg were among the members of the winning team in an ice hockey match at Maloja, Switzerland, on Christmas Day. The match was between Oxford and Cambridge teams, the Canadian girls being recruited for the Oxford team, on which other players were Capt. Bentley-Beetham, the Mount Everest explorer, and Capt. Alan d'Eqville, the cartoonist. Miss Nanton later in the day won a ski race.

The many Victoria friends of Mrs. Anne Anderson Perry, who visited this city last year with the Canadian Authors' Association, will be interested to learn that she has been placed in charge of national publicity for the Red Cross, with headquarters at Toronto.

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The home of Mrs. Frank Sylvester, Fort Street, was the scene of a most successful tea under the auspices of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Sylvester was assisted in receiving the guests by her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Campbell. The tea-table was pretty with its decoration of red carnations in silver vases and tulle of the same shade. During the afternoon an attractive musical programme was given, those taking part being Mrs. Edith Wright and Mrs. Bernard Le Fevre, who sang solos, accompanied by Mrs. William Andros, who gave several piano selections. Mrs. P. E. Corby contributed two recitations. The home-cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. Hopkins and Miss Taylor; the candy, Mrs. Kippen and Mrs. Botteley, while Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Campbell were in charge of the tea, assisted by Mrs. Macrate, Mrs. Wrigleswortb and Miss Sommerville. The beautiful doll was won by Mrs. Joan Watson; the basket of candy, Mrs. F. Sylvester; tea cloth, Mrs. G. Andrews, and the embroidered towel, Mrs. Phipps.

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A delightful bridge and mah jong party was held at the James Bay Hotel last evening in aid of the Solarium fund, the affair proving a social and financial success. The players included Dr. and Mrs. Denton Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson, Mr. J. Holms, Mrs. Cottingham, Mr. and Mrs. Wolfenden, Mrs. Hemmy, Mr. and Mrs. Bolt, Capt. West, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. King, Mrs. Darcus, Mr. Mavor, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Rickaby, Mr. J. H. White, Mr. L. Roberts, Mrs. John Ciceri, Mrs. F. Harford, Mrs. J. Villers Fisher, Mrs. H. F. Forrest, Mrs. Fred Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Major Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Hamber, Miss Kirkham, Mrs. Deane, Mrs. Goad, Mr. and Mrs. Austin-Leigh, Mr. M. B. Jackson, Mr. C. C. Tunnard, Dr. Mitchell Mr. A. Aiston, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Sharps, Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Field, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Col. C. Good, Mr. J. K. Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Berry, Mrs. P. H. Morgan, Mr. H. Berry, Mrs. C. A. Boyd, Mrs. Hextall, Mrs. W. J. Goepel and Miss Dunn. Mrs. P. Gordon donated two of the prizes and the hotel management two, while generous donations towards the refreshments were made by P. Burns & Company and the hotel.

Harold Hudson, Back On Coast, Marries

Harold B. Hudson, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Hudson of this city, has returned to the coast from the prairies and will prove a good addition to cricket and other sports in Vancouver. For many years he resided in this city and was transferred from here four years ago to the Bank of Montreal in Rosthern, Sask. He retired from the bank some months ago and has joined the bond department of the B.C. Electric Railway Company in Vancouver. Last week he married Miss Elsie Pook of Rosthern. While in this city he played with the Albion Cricket Club and was selected on the Victoria eleven for the inter-city series several times.

Bible Study Class.—The Bible study class conducted by the Rev. H. T. Archbold will reassemble on Friday at 3 o'clock at Mrs. Fielder's apartment in the Surrey Block, Yates Street.

Left is a black evening gown of mousseline de sole, silver embroidery, diamonds and pearls. Right, more snakeskin—gloves of the material and satin bag with a jewelled clasp.

MEXICAN PROBLEM OF WORLD INTEREST

Rev. Father Evans Tells Women of Bolshevik Influence

That the Mexican problem was one which justified the interest of liberty-loving, free and fair-minded people the world over, and not merely one for the Catholic Church alone, was maintained by Rev. Father Cyril Evans, M.A., in an address given before the Catholic Women's League last evening.

Father Evans predicted a revolution in Mexico caused by the tyranny of President Calles, who, the speaker declared, was under the influence of Bolshevik agents. Calles was endeavoring to do away with the worship of God in Mexico by expelling Christian minister of every denomination, not only the Catholics, who constituted ninety-eight per cent of the population.

Quoting press dispatches of the outrages against bishops for protesting against the interference with religious liberty, of the closing of homes, hospitals and orphanages, of the persecution of the laity for holding religious meetings and of the expulsion of 5,000 nuns, Father Evans proceeded to show the untruthfulness of Calles' statement that these unfortunate people were interfering with politics. He cited the letter sent out by thirty-three bishops urging the people to remain calm, avoid all disturbances and keep away from political meetings.

He also refuted the charge made by President Calles that the Church was responsible for the illiteracy of the people by pointing out that since 1857 all education had been in the hands of the Mexican Government, which made no provision for it. Prior to that time Mexico had more colleges and students in them than Great Britain, the Church supplying the educational facilities.

In conclusion the speaker said he had taken up the question with the women because it was well that they should know the truth concerning the Mexican situation, in which individuals were being robbed of their right to worship as they chose, the right of free speech and the right to do as they willed with their own property.

Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

One of the old time weapons of the mother was to threaten her child and thus win a reluctant obedience through fear.

The modern mother has come to realize that she might as well cripple her child physically as to burden him with fear. It is just a terrible thing.

There are a few instinctive fears which even tiny babies suffer, but most of our fears come about through suggestion by those around us that certain things are to be feared.

A baby may instinctively recoil if a dog comes bounding toward him . . . but he would soon lose this fear if the mother or nurse did not say sternly, "Go away, bad doggie, don't come near baby, you are frightening him!" The tone and the attitude are sufficient to give the baby an idea that dogs are to be feared.

FEAR STRANGERS

Some babies fear strangers, scream and cry when they come near, and refuse to be comforted. Babies who are allowed to lie in their cribs a great part of the time, but who are familiar with new and strange persons who come and talk to them kindly, or who hold them carefully, will seldom feel this fear. The baby who has this habit is usually the "only" child, who has just a father and mother around him most of the time. . . who lives a quiet and uneventful life. Thus any sudden change is terrifying; the noise of many voices, strange faces, just because of their unusualness and the seeming menace to the security of his haven, is sufficient to cause him extreme terror.

Mothers should pretend as much as possible not to notice such manifestations or remark on them. Keep the baby near the mother, giving it a feeling of safety and allow it to get used naturally to strangers and learn that they will not be of any danger to it.

Forcing a child to go to persons toward whom he shows fear merely increases his terror. If left alone he will soon come to associate the new comers with pleasant things and his fears will vanish.

If fears were never suggested to a child he would fear only those things which had proved by experience to be of danger to him. It is right and proper to warn a child that fire will burn. It is entirely wrong to frighten him of wind and thunder and storms, of animals which are harmless and of the natural obstacles, like stairs with which he is in daily contact. He can be taught that it is right to play in his own yard and not on the street so that he thinks this merely a proper thing to do, like going to sleep, or sitting in a high chair at meal times. He need not be told that he will be killed in the streets in order to teach this, because when he sees other persons crossing the streets without getting hurt he loses faith in what you tell him.

CLIMB STAIRS EARLY

He should be taught how to go up and down stairs as soon as he can walk. He will then be as cautious as any one could be for him, while if he is penned away from stairs and then does get to them, he will have no knowledge of how to conduct himself and is much more likely to fall. Most mothers are so full of fears for their children that they imbue them, not with caution, but with terror of all natural things.

The child who is afraid of the dark has been made so by a mother who thinks he must have a light in his bedroom, and who goes with him into a dark room as if it were a place of terror. She alone is to blame if he reacts by screaming when alone in the dark.

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DINNER—Mutton chops, boiled rice, mashed turnips, pineapple salad, whole wheat bread, ginger pudding, milk, coffee.

The onion souffle suggested in the luncheon menu offers an excellent way to use up the left-overs vegetable. Very often about one-half or three-fourths of a cup of cooked onions are left from a meal and the cook throws them away, thinking there's no attractive way to make them over. Creamed or fried onions can be used as well as plain boiled ones. In the case of fried ones, reduce the amount of butter in making the sauce.

Onion Souffle

Three-fourths cup onions rubbed through a sieve, 2 tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons flour, 1-2 cup milk, 2 eggs, salt and pepper.

Melt butter, stir in flour and when perfectly blended slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Add onion pulp and bring mixture to the boiling point. Season with salt and pepper and stir in yolks of eggs beaten until thick and lemon colored. Remove at once from the fire and fold in whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Turn into a well-buttered baking dish and place in a larger pan of hot water. Bake forty minutes in a moderate oven. Serve at once.

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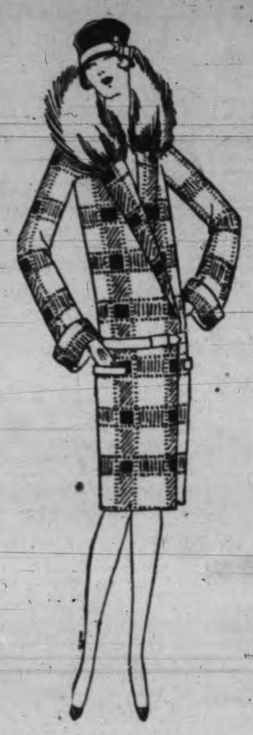

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Smart Frocks fashioned from flat and crystal crepe in new styles. A variety of good colors; also navy and black; sizes 16 to 42. Sale price $14.95

Satin Crepe Afternoon Frocks, Values to $39.50 for $17.95

Shown in bloused, straight line and flared styles. New collars and long sleeves, smartly trimmed with embroidery, pleats, contrasting materials, lace, etc.; sizes 16 to 44. Sale price at $17.95
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

12 Only, Women's White Uniforms

Value $3.50 for $1.98

Made from heavy quality white drill, long pointed collar and laced front; three-quarter length sleeves and all round belt. Also a few with buttoned front and convertible collars; sizes 42 and 44 only; value $3.50. Sale price $1.98
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Broadcloth Blouses, Value $2.25 for $1.79

Serviceable Blouses in good quality broadcloth, neat tailored style, high or pointed collars, long sleeves and buttoned cuffs, tucked fronts; values $2.25. Sale price $1.79
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Underwear Specials

Navy Fleece Bloomers
Heavy quality fleece knit; sizes 34 to 42; value 98c. Sale price, per pair ..... 69¢

Vests
Fleece knit cotton vests with broad shoulder straps; also fleece knit with silk stripe, low neck and strap shoulders. Sale price, each 79¢
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Children's Flannelette Gowns, Values to $1.29 for 79c

Good Quality White Flannelette Gowns with round neck and short sleeves; sizes 2 to 14 years; values to $1.29. Sale price ..... 79¢
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Special Clearance of Gas Ranges at Reduced Prices

Four-burner Gas Range
With double oven, white enameled oven door with thermometer, white enamel dust tray, nickel plated manifold, enamel dish for grill. Sale price at $36.00

Four-burner Gas Range
Built same as above but with nickel-plated oven doors. Sale price, at $39.00

Four-burner Gas Range
Same as above, but with nickel plated oven doors and top. Sale price $42.00
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Get Rid of the Draughts

Use this new zinc felt weather-strip. Easy to apply and takes but a few minutes. Special at .. 98¢
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Handy When Washing the Dishes

Dish driers to hold fifteen plates with room for cups and saucers and basket for silver. Special at $1.59
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Clearing Lines In Men's Furnishings For Friday

Men's All Wool Golf Hose
Scotch and English makes in all wool check hose, fawn shade only. Fashioned hose with reinforced heels and toes; all sizes; values to $6.50. Sale price, per pr. $3.95

Men's Black Cashmere Hose
Fine all wool cashmere in fast black. Made with double thread soles and treble thread heels and toes; all sizes. Sale price, per pair ..... 69¢

Men's All Wool Work Socks
Soft comfortable all wool socks in light grey shade; ribbed leg and seamless feet; regular 50c. Sale price, per pair ..... 39¢
2 pairs for .....75¢

Men's Wool Gloves
Close knitted all wool gloves in light and dark grey and fawn shades; values to $1.50. Sale price per pair ..... 75¢

Men's All Wool Underwear
Soft and comfortable all wool underwear in heavy rib. Will not irritate the skin. Ideal garments for men who work out of doors; all sizes. Per garment ... $1.49

Men's Sweaters
Odd lots of fancy lumberjacks, fancy coats and plain grey coat sweaters; all heavyweight wool; regular $5.00. Sale price $3.95
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Children's Ribbed Wool Hose

All Wool Hose in heavy rib, with diamond knees and reinforced at heels and toes. Black only; sizes 6 to 7½; regular 69c and 79c. Also 1-1 ribbed all wool hose with reinforced heels and toes, cream shade only; sizes to 8; values to 75c. Sale price, per pair ..... 50¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Attractive Bargain Offerings in the Wash Goods Section

Choose from novelty broadcloth, striped tub silks, silk and cotton novelties, silk check voiles, beachcloths, fine zephyrs, silf finished broadcloths and other weaves; 36 and 40 inches wide. Values to $1.50. Sale price, per yard 49c

Bordered Voiles
Printed in many charming designs; 52 inches wide. Value $2.25. Sale price, per yard $1.00

Printed Voiles
36 inches wide, regular 50c. Sale price, per yard ..... 25¢

Bordered Ginghams
48 inches wide, regular 79c. Sale price, per yard ..... 49¢

Silk Finished Mull
Navy only, 40 inches wide; regular 50s. Sale price ..... 25¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

200 Yards Printed Silk Crepe de Chine and Georgettes

Shown in handsome designs and rich color combinations, for scarves, dresses and dolman sleeves; regular $2.95. Sale price, per yard $1.88
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Evening Slippers

Broken assortments of high-grade Evening Slippers, in silver brocade, Paisley brocade, silver and black brocade; also fawn satin. One and two-strap and colonial pump styles. Widths, A, B, C and D. Values to $12.50. Sale price, per pair

$6.45

Men's Seasonable Boots and Oxfords

High-grade Boots and Oxfords in black calf, black Scotch grain and tan willow calf. Choice of single or double welted soles. All this season's new styles with service giving qualities. Widths, B to E. Values to $9.50. Sale price, per pair $5.50
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Gotham Gold Stripe Silk Hose

Regular $3.00 Pair, to Clear Friday at.. **$1.95**

Heavy quality pure thread silk hose with reinforced heels and toes. Broken lines in brown, camel, cordovan, tan, beaver, grain and grey; sizes 8½ to 10, not all sizes in each color but all sizes in the lot.
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Two Days' Bargain Selling of Men's Overcoats

Your Choice of any $25.00 Tweed Overcoat $18.95

Your choice of any $35.00 Overcoat for $27.95

Your choice of any $40.00 Overcoat for $31.95

Your choice of any $50.00 Overcoat for $39.95

Still too many Overcoats in stock—hence this two days' special selling at bargain prices. See them in our windows. See this season's stylish blue naps and blue spiral weaves, the fancy velour fabrics, the fashionable fawns and tweeds. Styles include both single and double-breasted, in Raglan and set-in sleeve models, full and half belts, plain backs and without belts. All master tailored coats with art satin and satin linings.

All Sizes from 34 to 46

$18.95, $27.95, $31.95, $39.95
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Clearance of Millinery

All Hats Greatly Reduced

Velvet and Silk Hats
A good assortment to select from, nicely trimmed, in black and colors; values to $5.95. Sale price $1.95

Velour, Satin and Trimmed Velvet Hats
No two alike. Shown in rose, sand, brown, Chanel red and black; values to $12.50. Sale price $3.95

Pattern Hats
All the season's new shades and materials; regular $18.50. Sale price $6.95
—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Clearance Specials in Wools and Stamped Goods

Bear Brand Lustrefloss
A pretty Paisley wool suitable for dainty sports sweaters, scarves and children's garments. Sale price, per ball .....10¢

Baldwin's Rug Wool
We are clearing out this line of rug wool at a reduced price, colors and quantity limited; regular $1.50 and $1.65. Sale price, per pound ..... 89¢

A manufacturer's clean-up of two-ply Shetland Floss in colors of claret, peacock, old rose, wistaria and purple. Extra Special, per skein .....7¢

Pure White Linen Centres
Stamped for eyelet and cut work, 36 inches; regular $2.00. Sale price, each $1.29

Pure Ivory Linen Tescloths
Hemstitched for crochet, stamped in effective designs, 36 inches; regular $1.75. Sale price, $1.29

Tan Linen Scarves
Suitable for library table or buffet, size 18x50 inches; regular $1.10. Sale price .....89¢
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Drugs and Patent Medicines at Special Prices

Petrolatum (Vaseline), 1-lb. tins at .....23¢

Epsom Salts, best English crystal, 10c size, 2 for .....13¢
Vaseline, jars—
Yellow .....8¢
White .....13¢
Parrish's Chemical Food, 50c value, for .....39¢
Witch Hazel, 25c value .....16¢
Listerine, small size .....18¢
Oil of Eucalyptus, 50c value, 36¢
Boracic Acid, 1-lb. .....29¢

Liquid Petrolatum, 75c value, for .....49¢

Lithia Tablets, 5-grain .....43¢
Blaud's Laxative Pills .....43¢
Glycerine Suppositories, 12-size package ..... 33¢
Steedman's Teething Powders, 21¢
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, at ..... 98¢
White Pine Cough Mixture ....48¢
Beef, Iron and Wine Tonic....90¢
Olive Oil, best French, pint size, at ..... 79¢

Glycerine, 25c value .....17¢

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

For Cigarette Smokers

Cigarette Cases, telescope style, heavy leather. Special at $1.59
Small size $1.10
Russian Leather Cigarette Cases, plaited edge $1.40
Metal Cigarette Cases, Special at, each ..... 69¢
Cigarette Cases, gold plated, specially attractive and serviceable, at..... $2.95
Cigarette Holders, briar, each, 45¢
Cigarette Holders, real amber (cased) $1.10
Cigarette Holders, long variety, at $1.49
Benson & Hedges Cigarettes, 15c value, 2 for .....25¢
Player's Cigarettes, double size, including a good cigarette holder; 70c value .....49¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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ALASKA PACKERS HAVE GOOD SEASON

Annual Report Shows a Profit of $548,483; Resume Extra Dividend

San Francisco, Jan. 20—The Alaska Packers' Association distributed yesterday what the financial sages here term a "surprisingly good" annual report, the ledger statements showing a profit of $548,483 from cannery operations as against a deficit of $175,026 in 1925. "Exceptionally favorable markets" were given in the annual report as the reason for the good showing.

The exceptional return made it possible for the company to resume its $2 extra dividend in addition to the regular quarterly $2 dividend, both of which are payable on February 10.

The report showed that the surplus had increased from $294,769 at the close of 1925 to $1,084,823 at the end of 1926. The book value of the company's fleet was given as $1,461,749 while the book value of plants, terminals and fleet was set at $6,747,271. Depreciation to the amount of $166,822 has been written off. The association operated twelve conneries in Alaska and one on Puget Sound during the 1926 season, and turned out a pack of 808,341 cases.

The book value, including eighty-five acres of Alameda waterfront and 2,187 acres of land at West Sacramento, Yolo County, which has been planted to orchard or otherwise farmed.

Girls to Take New Boat on Trial Run

New York, Jan. 20.—Another field for women. Seven girl students of Hunter College will undertake the complete operation of the shipping Board motorship Tampa on a trial run to-day. The experiment is designed to demonstrate the simplicity of the first marine Diesel engine built in the United States by the Worthington Pump and Machinery Company.

WORK ON BIG NAVAL BASE AT SINGAPORE

Wireless Station Now Operating at New British Station in Far East

London, Jan. 29 (By Canadian Press)—Dispatches from Singapore tell of the deliberate progress being made with the construction of the naval base at Singapore, which figured largely in the discussions of Imperial defence at the Imperial Conference and was mentioned by the British Antipodean premiers in their speeches in Canada.

Although it has been in the hands of the admiralty for about three years Seletar, the site of the Singapore naval base, looks to-day no more like a naval base than a middle reach of the Thames—and probably it is far less busy, says an article in a London paper.

Seletar is fifteen miles from Singapore, on the northeast side of the island, and is reached only by road. It is ten or twelve miles from the eastern end of the strait, which separates Singapore Island from the mainland of Johore, and is approached by sea only from the East, although small native craft may go through the lock to the west of the causeway carrying the Singapore—Kuala Lumpur—Panang Railway.

The strait is about three-quarters of a mile wide and the land at either side is covered by virgin jungle and some rubber plantations. Many acres of rubber are to be cut down for the base.

NO WARSHIPS YET

A swamp has been drained and some clearings done for the base. Attractive and comfortable bungalows have been built on a hill for administrative offices and quarters; a rough pile jetty has been built, and there are several workshops. The only ships in the harbor are a dredge boat and six attendant hoppers; the British navy is not represented yet. The dredging for the new floating dock's mooring has begun. It will take at least eighteen months to excavate the berth, which will be over seventy feet deep and sloping down from normal sea bed on completion, some 400 yards long and 300 yards wide. The dredge is of the endless chain bucket type, and each of the eighty-two buckets has a capacity of two-and-one-half tons.

As it would take six months to tow the dock out from England, Hongkong, which has suffered much by trade depression and China troubles, is anxious to build the dock. Hongkong is five days from Singapore. Two graving docks are to be built at the base. A few miles further inland, and within view of the main line railway, is the oil storage for the base, and already nearly forty large tanks have been built. An air station will be on the sea side of the naval base—the site has yet to be cleared of rubber and jungle—and behind this, on a hill, is a naval wireless station, in commission and working.

The port of Singapore is of great and growing importance to Britain's Eastern trade—its annual tonnage clearance comes next to that of Liverpool—and it is a pivotal point in andthe Empire air route to Australia and New Zealand. Soon it will have a four-fold importance—a commercial centre by sea and air and a naval centre by sea and air, in addition to the export trade of rubber, tin and tropical produce from the Malay Peninsula.

Premier Coates of New Zealand Sees National Shops

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 20.—"These railway shops are the finest and most up-to-date that we have seen in Canada, and we will most certainly adopt many of their features when we begin the remodeling of the shops of the New Zealand railways that we have in view," declared J. S. Hunter, official secretary to the New Zealand railways, who, with the Right Honorable J. G. Coates, Premier, visited the Transcona shops of the Canadian National Railways here yesterday afternoon. The Premier of New Zealand also holds the portfolio of Minister of Railways and the position occupied by Mr. Hunter corresponds to that held by the Deputy Minister of Railways in Ottawa.

Premier Coates and Mr. Hunter spent the whole of the afternoon at Transcona and they were shown every detail of the shop organization and operation by A. A. Tisdale, assistant to general manager, western region, and A. H. Eager, superintendent of motive power and car equipment. Mr. Hunter stated that the New Zealand railway, which is owned and operated by the state, purposes letting a contract for $7,000,000 to remodel their shops, and he said that the visits they have made to the various plants of the Canadian National Railways during their tour of the Dominion have been of more value to them than they can express.

Patrician Engaged In Telling Targets

To-day and to-morrow the destroyer Patrician will be engaged in totalling targets for the military gunners who are holding gun firing practice. The vessel proceeded out of Esquimalt harbor this morning at 10.30 o'clock, and will cruise around in the Straits this afternoon, spotting where the shells land.

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Jan. 20 — Returning from an extensive tour of Europe, where he studied the shipping conditions to determine the progress being made by the European countries, R. S. Silva, head of the steamship line that bears his name, was back in San Francisco yesterday.

The Matson Liner Manoa, Captain Sandelin, arrived yesterday from Honolulu with seventy-four passengers, among them Miss Wilhelmina Tenney, daughter of the Matson Line's president.

Three more sailing ships which annually ply between San Francisco and the Alaska fishing grounds will be absent from this trade at the opening of the season, the Alaska Packers' Association announced yesterday.

SARDINE CANNERY SUGGESTED TO PACK ISLAND SMALL FISH

Falling Off in Southern Fishing Grounds Believed to Have Created Opening Here

That local waters abound in a type of small fish that is eminently suitable for the sardine industry, and could form the basis of an extensive canning project on the Saanich Peninsula, is the suggestion now advanced to the city in aid of its industrial drive.

In recent years failure of the southern fishing grounds to yield the same percentage of the sardine catch needed to meet the growing demand on this continent has led to a search for new grounds. Investigators, who have spent some time in local waters, claim that a variety of small fish is to be found in sufficient abundance to warrant attention as a possible source of the sardine supply of Pacific waters.

The suggestion was made to city officials this week by interests actively engaged in cannery work, and with a close knowledge of the requirements of the sardine trade, stated Mayor Pendray to-day. It will be passed to the industrial committee, who with Roger D. Pinneo is neglecting no opportunity to investigate any proposal that might prove a source of profitable new industry here.

Many of the projects now before the committee would be financed by private capital, without calls on the public or local investment field for funds. Other projects under investigation would require large sums, necessitating local subscription in relatively large amounts. No suggestions, however, are being turned aside until they have been fully investigated.

HEAVY MOVEMENT OF GRAIN AT VANCOUVER

Twenty-one Ships Will Load 2,562,000 Bushels During Next Six Weeks

Winnipeg, Jan. 20. — The grain movement through the port of Vancouver during the next six weeks will be very heavy. Twenty-one boats with a capacity of 2,562,000 bushels of grain ase due there before the end of January, reports the transportation department of the C.P.R., and of this amount 1,841,000 bushels are for the United Kingdom, 647,000 bushels for the Orient and 75,000 bushels for South America.

In February a total of 2,300,000 bushels will be shipped by boat, 1,500,000 bushels going to the United Kingdom and 800,000 bushels to the Orient. To-day there are eight boats in port with a capacity of 777,333 bushels with storage in elevators totaling 5,650,733 bushels.

The situation at the head of the lakes has not changed greatly in the past days. There are 46,685,000 bushels in storage there with 1,783 Canadian Pacific cars to be unloaded.

Yesterday the all-rail movement East was 94 cars, with 48 billed, and surrenders totaling 393,000 bushels. Grain inspections on Canadian Pacific lines yesterday were 470 cars, marketing 263,978 bushels with 275 cars loaded.

Sol Duc Delayed By Heavy Freight

Due to heavy freight offerings for Port Townsend and Port Angeles, the Puget Sound Navigation Company's steamer, Sol Duc, was two hours late in arriving from Seattle this morning reaching here at 11.30 o'clock.

Emma Alexander is Due Early To-night

With about fifty passengers and sixty tons of cargo for Victoria, the steamship Emma Alexander will arrive at Pier 1 to-night, at 8.30 o'clock, from California ports.

Whaling Tender on V.M.D. Marine Slip

This afternoon the whaling tender Gray was hauled out on the marine railway of the Victoria Machinery Depot for general inspection. It is expected she will be on the slip for about two days.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Jan. 20 — Twenty-seven single seat pursuit planes, manufactured by the Boeing Airplane Company of Seattle, were yesterday being loaded on the airplane carrier Langley here. They were built under a navy contract awarded the Seattle firm.

Bringing a large shipment of coffee, bone meal and canned beef, the McCormick Steamship Company vessel West Notus is due here Friday or Saturday.

In addition to loading lumber products and canned goods, the U. S. Shipping Board freighter Montague, in port yesterday, will take machinery and automobiles to Australia, Swayne and Hoyt, operators of the vessel, said.

Large Tug Sinks In Bay of Fundy

Spencers Island, N.S., Jan. 20.—The forty-ton tug Mildred, of St. John, N.B., struck some wreckage in the Bay of Fundy yesterday and sank within twenty-five minutes. The captain and crew took to small boats and rowed to this port.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

Jan. 19, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

YOJIN MARU, Miike for Vancouver, 1,300 miles from Estevan.

CAPE SCOTT, left Ocean Falls 6 p.m. for Esquimalt Harbor.

NORWICH CITY, Nagova for Fraser River, 479 miles from Victoria.

CITY OF VANCOUVER, San Pedro for Vancouver, 150 miles south of Cape Flattery.

SISKIYOU, passed Columbia River bar 4 p.m., inbound.

J. C. FITZSIMMONS, Port Wells for San Pedro, 831 miles from San Padro.

LA PLACENTIA, Ioco for San Pedro, 605 miles from San Pedro.

PHILOCTETES, Yokohama for Victoria, 1,827 miles from Victoria.

ITALY MARU, Miike for Vancouves, 1,700 miles from Victoria.

KINKAISAN MARU, 950 miles from Estevan, inbound.

EMPRESS OF ASIA, Yokohama for Victoria, 2,023 miles from Victoria.

Jan. 20, 8 a.m.—Weather:

Estevan — Part cloudy; north; 20.17; 26; light swell.

Pachena—Clear; calm; 30.12; 25; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.39; 20; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.20; 24; sea smooth.

Fear For Safety of Two-masted Schooner

Chester, Pa., Jan. 20.—Some apprehension is felt here for the safety of the two-masted schooner T. K. Bentley, which is two weeks overdue and from which no word has been received since she sailed from Nova Scotia December 19. The schooner is of 2,000 tons and carried a cargo of wood pulp consigned to the Scott Paper Company of this city. It was due here January 1. Asher Knowlton of Cumberland County, N.S., was captain of the vessel and she carried a crew of ten.

Japanese Oysters May be Transplanted To Waters of B.C.

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Oysters from Japan may be transplanted to the waters of the British Columbia coast if experiments now being carried on in the neighboring state of Washington are successful.

Mortality among eastern oysters transplanted on this coast is said to have been so great that it has been decided to test Japanese oysters here. The Japanese oysters are reported to be thriving on Puget Sound and it is believed they will do well in British Columbia waters. Longer tests are waited before any decision is made, however.

Objection to the Japanese oysters has been based on their purple shell rim. This does not affect their flavor, however, and is only noticeable when served on the half shell since the color disappears when cooked.

Hon. James Murdock Now Vice-President of Railway Trainmen

Toronto, Jan. 20.—News of the appointment of Hon. James Murdock, former Federal Minister of Labor, as a vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen has been received in Toronto. He will assume his new duties February 1.

When he entered the King Government as Minister of Labor, Mr. Murdock was vice-president of the trainmen's organization for Canada, and since his resignation he has been filling the post of deputy president.

Aviators Find no Trace of Missing Steamer John Tracy

New York, Jan. 20.—Aviators who searched the Massachusetts coast for trace of the missing steamship John Tracy reported from Boston to the operating company here last night that no sign of the craft had been found. The John Tracy, carrying a cargo of coal, was due in Boston January 11 from Norfolk, Va. The crew comprised twenty-seven men.

Victoria Deep Sea Ship Movements

TO ARRIVE IN VICTORIA

*Carries Passengers

EMMA ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 20.

EMPRESS OF ASIA*, Japan, China and Philippines, C.P.R., Pier 2, Rithet Docks, January 24.

PHILOCTETES*, Japan and China, Blue Funnel, Pier 2, Rithet Docks, January 24.

KAGA MARU*, Japan and China, N.Y.K., Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 25.

RUTH ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 27.

TO SAIL FROM VICTORIA

*Carries Passengers

ARIZONA MARU*, Japan and China, O.S.K., Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 21.

EMMA ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 22.

ARABIA MARU*, Japan and China, O.S.K., Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 26.

TALTHYBIUS*, Japan and China, Blue Funnel, Pier 2, Rithet Docks, January 27.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON*, Japan, China and Philippines, American Mail Line, Pier 2, Rithet Docks, January 29.

RUTH ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1, Rithet Docks, January 30.

EMPRESS OF ASIA*, Japan, China and Philippines, C.P.R., Pier 2, Rithet Docks, February 5.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 8.15 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 3 p.m.

For Seattle

Sol Duc leaves daily at 10.15 a.m., except Sunday.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.

Sol Duc arrives daily at 9.30 a.m., except Sunday.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

Portland Canal Route

Canadian National: On Mondays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox.

Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 9 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Anyox, Stewart, etc.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 9 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert etc.

Canadian National: Mondays from Vancouver at 8 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, left Kingston for Avonmouth January 6.

Canadian Highlander, left Halifax for Vancouver January 7.

Canadian Pioneer, arrived Sydney, N.S.W., January 12.

Canadian Seigneur, arrived San Francisco en route Victoria January 13.

Canadian Skirmisher, arrived Carston January 15.

Canadians Transporter, left Esquimalt for United Kingdom January 14

Canadian Winner, left Fraser Mills for Chemainus January 17.

Canadian Importer, discharging at London.

Canadian Ranger, arrived Prince Rupert January 12.

Canadian Prospector, arrived Halifax January 17.

Canadian Coaster, left Ocean Falls for San Pedro January 15.

Canadian Farmer, left Ocean Falls for San Pedro January 11.

Canadian Observer, left Vancouver January 17.

Canadian Rover, arrived Victoria January 19

TIDE TABLE

Day	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	January							
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1	...	..	11.34	9.3	10.06	1.8	....	..
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3	...	..	....	..	12.21	10.1	11.31	0.7
4	...	..	....	..	12.56	10.2	12.01	0.5
5	...	..	7.54	8.7	9.26	8.6	13.40	9.9	12.42	0.7
6	...	..	8.02	8.7	10.44	8.4	14.31	9.5	13.24	1.3
7	...	..	8.11	8.8	12.03	8.6	15.28	8.8	....	..
8	...	..	8.07	2.0	8.24	8.9	13.34	7.3	16.31	7.8
9	...	..	0.51	3.0	8.43	9.0	14.44	6.4	16.29	6.9
10	...	..	1.34	4.1	9.06	9.1	15.52	5.4	20.57	6.4
11	...	..	2.14	5.3	9.31	9.3	16.49	4.4	....	6.4
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15	...	..	....	8.8	11.32	9.9	19.55	1.4	....	..
16	...	..	6.00	9.1	7.32	9.0	12.08	9.9	20.34	1.2
17	...	..	6.32	9.2	8.32	9.0	12.42	9.8	21.12	1.2
18	...	..	7.01	9.1	9.26	8.8	13.12	9.5	21.48	1.5
19	...	..	7.36	8.9	10.18	8.5	13.41	9.1	22.22	1.9
20	...	..	7.46	8.6	11.11	8.2	14.09	8.6	23.07	2.5
21	...	..	7.54	3.7	12.12	7.8	14.37	8.0	23.50	3.2
22	...	..	7.51	4.6	....	7.3	....	7.5	....	..
23	...	..	8.02	3.9	8.02	8.7	....	6.7	....	4.7
24	...	..	8.31	4.6	8.21	8.7	....	6.0	....	6.0
25	...	..	9.24	5.3	8.44	8.8	16.28	5.4	....	6.8
26	...	..	....	..	9.12	8.9	17.04	4.7	....	6.0
27	...	..	....	6.0	9.42	9.1	17.42	3.9	....	..
28	...	..	....	..	10.04	9.3	18.21	3.1	....	..
29	...	..	....	..	8.49	9.5	18.59	2.3	....	..
30	...	..	....	..	10.38	9.7	19.36	1.6	....	..
31	...	..	....	..	11.28	9.9	20.14	1.1	....	..

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1927.

	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	8	06	4	27
2	8	06	4	28
3	8	06	4	29
4	8	06	4	30
5	8	05	4	31
6	8	05	4	32
7	8	05	4	33
8	8	05	4	34
9	8	05	4	35
10	8	05	4	37
11	8	04	4	38
12	8	04	4	40
13	8	03	4	41
14	8	03	4	43
15	8	02	4	44
16	8	01	4	46
17	8	00	4	47
18	7	59	4	49
19	7	58	4	50
20	7	57	4	52
21	7	56	4	53
22	7	56	4	55
23	7	54	4	56
24	7	53	4	58
25	7	52	4	59
26	7	51	5	01
27	7	50	5	02
28	7	49	5	04
29	7	47	5	05
30	7	46	5	07
31	7	45	5	08

C.P.R. ANNOUNCE SUMMER SAILINGS

St. Lawrence Season Will be Featured by Debut of Empress of Australia

Montreal, Jan. 20. — Increases all along the line is the keynote of the Canadian Pacific list of 1927 Summer sailings, revised and issued by the office of the general superintendent, W. J. McGiffin.

Featured by the debut of the luxurious Empress of Australia, formerly on the Pacific, now re-engined and fitted for the Atlantic trade, the forthcoming St. Lawrence season promises to be a banner one, as emphasized in recent utterances by E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the company. Eighty-five arrivals and departures, nine more than last year, will mean even more frequent service than that called for in the heavy schedules of former years. This increase is accounted for primarily by the addition of nine new Empress crossings to Quebec, five of which will be by the Empress of Australia. The Empress of Scotland will make seven and the Empress of France eight round trips, one more than last year for the latter.

WEEKLY DEPARTURES

The three cabin-type sister ships, Montcalm, Montrose and Montclare will continue, as heretofore, their weekly departures from Montreal either direct to Liverpool or via Greenock and Belfast. An outstanding point in the schedule which may be noted here is the frequent intercourse with Irish ports. No less than thirteen calls at Cobh (Queenstown) and thirty at Belfast will be made during the Summer.

Quebec will have a busy Summer. Thirty-five times during the season Canadian Pacific ships will dock there—which is seven times more than last year. The Empress express route to Europe will be supplemented by fifteen round trips by the Ss. Montroyal and Montnairn. This service should attract more travelers than ever this Summer, particularly from the United States.

HEAVY TOURIST TRAVEL

Both from Quebec and Montreal on many sailings, accommodation will be set aside for the ever-growing tourist third cabin traffic of teachers, students and travelers of moderate means. At present the tentative programme calls for the carrying of this type of passenger on forty-four sailings to Europe, while thirty-one will cope with the returning tourists and the increasing numbers from Europe coming as tourists to America. July, always a banner month, will see sailings every two days either at Quebec or Montreal. England, Ireland, Scotland, Germany, France and Belgium will be in direct contact with Canada through their ports of Liverpool, Southampton, Cobh, Belfast, Greenock, Glasgow, Hamburg, Cherbourg and Antwerp, at all of which Canadian Pacific vessels will call throughout the Summer.

CHARTERED SHIPS ARE RETURNED TO OWNERS

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Eleven ships under charter to the bankrupt Southern Alberta Lumber Company Limited from the Seas Shipping Company of New York have been returned to their owners, in accordance with an order of Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald in the Supreme Court here yesterday following an agreement between the New York firm and the trustee and inspectors of the defunct Canadian company releasing each from liability under the charter parties.

The steamships are the Cicinus, Clauseus, Centaurus, Corvus, Robin Hood, Robin Adair, Robin Goodfellow, Robin Grey, Eurana, Greylock and Maine.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

January, 1927

China and Japan

President Jackson—Jan. 5; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Jan. 17, Shanghai Jan. 22, Hongkong Jan. 26.

Protesilaus—Jan. 6; mails close 12 noon; due at Yokohama Jan. 21, Hongkong Feb. 3.

Yokohama Maru—Jan. 12; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Jan. 28.

President McKinley—Jan. 17; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Jan. 29, Shanghai Feb. 3, Hongkong Feb. 7.

Arizona Maru—Jan. 21; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Feb. 6.

Talthybius—Jan. 27; mails close 12 noon; due at Yokohama Feb. 11.

President Jefferson—Feb. 1; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Feb. 13, Shanghai Feb. 17, Hongkong Feb. 20.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Jan. 3; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Sydney Jan. 27.

Niagara (direct)—Jan. 12; mails close 6 p.m.; due at Auckland Jan. 21, Sydney Feb. 5.

Makura (via San Francisco)—Jan. 23; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Wellington Feb. 14, Sydney Feb. 19.

Ventura (via San Francisco)—Jan. 24; mails close 4 p.m.; due at Sydney Feb. 17.

AUTO FERRY ROUTES

Mill Bay Ferry

Mill Bay Ferry bridging Island Highway at Malahat — Leaves Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, 7.30 a.m., 9.15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m. and 5 p.m. Leaves Camp Point, Mill Bay, 8.30 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4.15 p.m. and 6 p.m.

WINTER SCHEDULE TO GULF ISLAND POINTS

The steamer Otter leaves Belleville Street wharf every Monday and Wednesday at 7.15 a.m., and every Thursday at 8 a.m., for the Gulf Islands.

Also the Princess Royal leaves Victoria every Tuesday at 11 a.m. for Vancouver, calling at Port Washington, Ganges Harbor and Mayne Island and en route. For further information phone 121 or 1270. ***

E. & N. RAILWAY SCHEDULE

Trains leave Victoria at 9 a.m. and 4.55 p.m. daily for Wellington and way points.

The 9 a.m. train runs through to Courtenay and Port Alberni daily, except Sunday.

Returning, the trains arrive Victoria at 10.50 a.m. and 5 p.m. For further information apply E. & N. ticket office, phone 1524 or District Passenger, office phone 1270. ***

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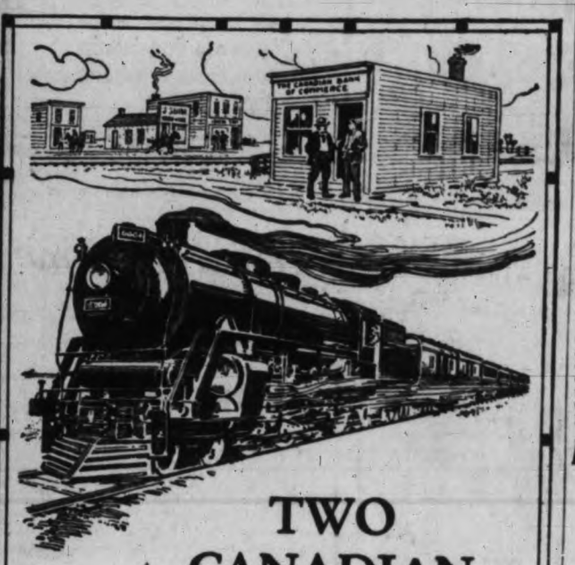

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Late Mrs. Saunders Was Daughter of Early Pioneers

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Saunders will take place from the late residence, 1418 Stanley Avenue, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, proceeding to the First United Church where Rev. Dr. Wilson will conduct the funeral service at 3.30. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

The late Mrs. Saunders, who passed away yesterday, was a daughter of the late James and Ellen Liddell, who arrived in Victoria on the Norman Morrison on January 3, 1853. She was born on August 7, 1854, and was a pupil at the old Craigflower School. Before illness confined her to her home for a number of years, Mrs. Saunders was an indefatigable worker in the Ladies' Aid of the First Presbyterian Church, and throughout the war worked in the Fernwood branch of the Red Cross.

She was the widow of the late Frank Saunders, and of her two brothers and one sister, one brother, John, was a victim of the San Francisco earthquake, and the sister, Ellen, died last year in the United States.

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OBITUARY

The funeral of the late Albert Tisdale, who passed away at the Jubilee Hospital on January 18, was held this morning from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 10.30. Rev. N. E. Smith officiated in the presence of a number of friends of the late Mr. Tisdale. Many flowers covered the casket. The pallbearers were W. A. Clark, S. Smith, G. Edwards and F. Cuddington. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Funeral services were held at the B.C. Funeral Chapel over the remains of the late Randolph John Billinghurst. Rev. F. C. Chapman conducted the service at 10.30. The pallbearers were J. C. M. Keith, J. Carmichael, J. E. Mountain and W. J. Cave.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A. Thacker, charged with driving to the common danger, was fined $10 in the city police court this morning. The fine was paid.

The annual congregational meeting of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church will be held at the church this evening at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

The prayer meeting of the Erskine Presbyterian Church, Harriet Road, will be addressed at 8 o'clock tonight by Mrs. C. L. Whitman. The pastor will conduct the service.

News was received in the city this morning of the death at Chicago, Illinois, of Stanley Clague, manager of the Audit Bureau, who passed away at 8.30 last evening.

A special session of the City Council is called for Friday at 4 o'clock, when consideration will be given in committee to a phase of the negotiations now engaging the attention of the city industrial committee.

Prof. G. C. Sedgwick, of the University of British Columbia, will tonight lecture at the Victoria College on "Shakespeare." The lecture is sponsored by the University Extension Association and will commence at 8.15 o'clock.

Gordon Campbell, president of the Kinsman Club, together with other of the 1927 officers, will be formally installed this evening at the regular club dinner in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel at 6.15 o'clock.

An address on the hydro-electric power of Canada, illustrated by slides loaned by the Dominion Government, will be given by E. S. Farr, of the Victoria College, at the Sons of Canada Hall, 751 View Street, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Rotary Club to-day at the Empress Hotel passed a standing vote of sympathy with Jesse Longfield in the death of the late Mrs. Longfield. Frank J. Sehl, moving the resolution, declared the passing of Mrs. Longfield to have been an irreparable loss to Victoria.

All arrangements are complete for the second annual dinner of the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion, to be held on Friday evening in the Caledonia Hall, View Street, under the distinguished patronage of the Lieutenant-Governor. A number of prominent citizens will be present as guests, including representatives of the army and navy permanent forces.

Having been previously charged with cashing a worthless cheque at the store occupied by Charles Steele, tobacconist, Harry Henderson was again remanded in the city police court this morning, awaiting the return to the bench of Magistrate Jay. The magistrate has the power to deal with Henderson's case, but the justices of the peace who have been filling the vacancy, left through His Honor's illness, have not this power. Henderson's remand follows automatically. His Honor will return to his post this week, it is expected.

The first council session of the 1927 group will be held at Oak Bay Municipal Hall at 5.15 to-day. Standing committees for the year will be announced by Reeve Herbert Anscomb. Yesterday, before Judge Lampman, Oak Bay officials took their oath of office. All were elected by acclamation. Reeve Anscomb, Councillors E. C. Hayward, C. F. L. Money and Thomas Ashe were joined by Capt. W. E. Tapley, returned to the police commissionership, in the brief ceremony. School Trustees Col. W. N. Winsby and C. Maconachie were also returned at the election.

COMMITTEES NAMED BY REEVE CROUCH

Saanich Municipal Working Committees Announced To-day

The newly-elected Municipal Council of Saanich held its first meeting this morning at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, Reeve Crouch announcing the following working committees, the first-named member being chairman:

Works—Councillor Graham and the full council.

Finance—Councillors Vantreight, McWilliam and Hagan.

Transportation, Fire and Light—Councillors Oldfield, Graham and Borden.

Health Morals and Health Centre—Councillors Milne, McWilliam and Oldfield.

Reverted Lands—Councillors Hagan, Milne and Graham.

Water — Councillors Vantreight, Borden and Milne.

Taxation and Special Committee—The Reeve, Councillors Vantreight, Hagan, Milne and Graham.

The council appointed the following as Saanich members of the Victoria-Saanich Joint Beaches and Parks Committee—Reeve Crouch, Councillors Borden, Vantreight, Oldfield and Hagan.

The Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll will consist of the entire council, and will open its sessions on February 8 at 10 a.m.

The library committee, to meet with the Victoria Library Commission and discuss proposed changes in the agreement existing hitherto, will be composed of Councillors Milne and Borden.

The council gave preliminary readings to the annual bank loan by-law, providing $175,000 as the maximum anticipated as necessary.

The beaches and parks agreement with Victoria received the customary annual affirmation.

The new assessment roll was received, this showing a slight reduction in the gross land assessment of the municipality and a reduction in all ward save Ward Six, where an increase from $1,069,000 to $1,446,000 is shown.

The council will hold its first session for transaction of general business to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Honolulu, Jan. 20.—Premier S. M. Bruce of Australia, passing through here on his way home from the recent Imperial Conference at London, expressed an opinion yesterday that peace in the Pacific was not threatened by the chaotic conditions in China, although he considered the situation serious. He indicated his belief that the world might expect a long struggle as a result of China's aspirations for self-expression.

REEVE OF SAANICH

WILLIAM CROUCH

sworn in as Reeve of Saanich this morning at Royal Oak Municipal Hall.

NEW SAANICH COUNCIL TAKES OATH OF OFFICE

Reeve William Crouch and 1927 Council Sworn in

Reeve William Crouch was sworn in as Chief Magistrate of Saanich this morning, at the Royal Oak Municipal Hall, by retiring Reeve Robert Macnicol, J.P., who also installed the council to serve through 1927.

When installing his successor, Mr. Macnicol pointed out that a difficult year was ahead, with taxation as a major question awaiting solution. With congratulations upon their respective endorsement, the retiring reeve urged upon the new councillors the necessityof hearty co-operation if the year was to be as fruitful as all ratepayers and voters anticipated.

PREDICTS MANY APPEALS

Reeve Crouch hoped that election differences would be forgotten. He reminded the council that much dissatisfaction has developed regarding the new assessment roll and forecasted many appeals to the Court of Revision "to which will have to give careful and sympathetic hearing."

As reeve, he regretted the failure of the waterworks loan by-law. He believed this to have been due to lack of understanding among the ratepayers. "We all know that the work has simply got to be done, sooner or later," he stated.

The reeve announced the appointment of a special taxation committee, to endeavor to prepare acceptable means of putting taxation on a more acceptable basis. This committee includes two urban and two rural members of the council, with the reeve as chairman.

"I ask you all to get behind me. Give me a chance. If you will help me as you should, 1927 is going to be the biggest and best year Saanich has seen," Reeve Crouch concluded.

Police Commissioner A. E. Scaife and Trustee H. P. Thorpe were sworn in by Mr. Macnicol, and the latter, as trustee, took his oath of office in the presence of Councillor William Graham, a Justice of the Peace.

MAT FACTORY IS NOW PROPOSED FOR VICTORIA

Private Capital Investigating Projected Development Here

Local interests are concerned in the projected establishment here of a factory to handle the Canadian rights and patents of the Durable Mat Company of Seattle, it was announced yesterday by T. Bowden.

The concern would be fully financed by private interests and would necessitate the installation of a $35,000 plant, which would be extended later as opportunity afforded.

Interest in Victoria as a site for the proposed plant followed on negotiations opened by Mayor Pendray and carried on through the industrial committee. Alderman J. B. Clearihue, on behalf of the committee, showed Mr. Bowden and others over the ground this week, and plans are nearing a stage where a favorable decision on the part of the private interests concerned would lead to an immediate start on the work.

The mat manufactured under this process is of a hard durable texture, which can be put together in any dimensions, and is sold for office buildings, stores, hotels, corridors and other public places.

H. W. Bell, vice-president of the company which is manufacturing the mats on a large scale in Seattle, and other officials of the company have been interviewed by those interested in securing the Canadian rights. In a brief announcement, Mr. Bowden stated that he saw every hope for success as the outcome of the present negotiations. The industry would be financed entirely by private capital, and would lead to employment here which would expand as the new concern developed its business in the Canadian field.

Frost Holds no Terrors For Foul Bay Swimmers

Biting winds and stinging frosts hold no terrors for a lady swimming enthusiast at Foul Bay, who so far has maintained her record of a swim a day. Neighbors proceeding about the business of lighting huge fires to take the edge off the morning had expected the frost last night and the piercing wind this morning would kill her enthusiasm. But she took her dip as usual. With her as usual was a handsome collie dog, "Jerry," and a cat! Both her four-footed friends share her enthusiasm. Jerry was a little hesitant but on a call followed his mistress into the water. The cat, trained since a kitten to follower her into the Foul Bay waters, chilly at any time, also rose to occasion.

HOTEL CORRIDORS TO-DAY

MOTORING FROSTY, BUT GOOD

Motorists, who came down by motor over the Malahat this morning, said that the Highway up the Island is good. There is little travel, however, because of the cold.

"There was 18 degrees of frost in front of the Tzouhalem Hotel this morning when we started for Victoria," said James Marsh, on his arrival at the Dominion Hotel here. He is head of the transportation service which bears his name.

"The road is really in fine condition. The snow starts when you get out around Goldstream and gets heavier as you get up the Island. Cars run all the way up, however. The road gangs have put scrapers over the highway and pushed the snow off to the sides."

VANCOUVERITES IN LOBBIES

Among the Vancouver business and professional contingent which came over this morning, chiefly on political missions, are A. B. Palmer, the highway builder, General J. Duff Stuart, head of the Vancouver paper house, P. A. Wilson and L. R. Andrews, president and secretary of the B. C. Loggers' Association, Stuart Cameron, the contractor, T. D. Sutherland, J. S. Cope, C. N. Oldfield, R. B. Boucher, J. A. McGeer, W. E. Williams. They were all to be seen to-day around the lobbies of the Empress Hotel or the Parliament Buildings.

LUMBERMEN HERE FROM UP-COUNTRY

Neale Murray of Kamloops, head of the Arrow Lakes Lumber Co., has come down from up-country and is busy in the hotel and legislative lobbies.

Also here from up-country are other men in the persons of C. D. McNab of Waldo, manager of the Baker Lumber Co., and Ivan R. Poole of Nelson, who is secretary of the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association. These lumbermen said that they had come down to see what could be done about this new minimum wage which Major R. J. Burde has had brought into force.

Oliver Jennens, of Kelowna managing director of the B. C. Orchards Ltd., and A. J. Land of Penticton, arrived this morning at the Empress to take up fruit industry matters with politicians here.

Out of the cold of the Yukon, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gaudin of White Horse reached Victoria this morning. They are at the Empress Hotel.

FROM ACROSS SOUND

A party of Seattle people who crossed this morning on the Sol Duc and did not reach here until noon, consists of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nielby, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rodman and W. E. Pedersen. They are spending a few days at the Empress Hotel.

At the Dominion Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb of Seattle.

From Tacoma there are Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ryan, who are also spending a short time at the Empress Hotel.

PULP FINANCIER BUSY

From Los Angeles at the Empress there is Fred W. Browne, the financier and pulp industry expert, who reached here yesterday afternoon.

PRAIRIE NUMBERS GROW

The prairie Winter contingent at the Empress Hotel continues to grow. To-day their numbers were swelled with the arrival of C. W. McBain of Winnipeg, G. B. Morris and C. E. Morris of Calgary, Hugh Bell of Oxbow, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baines of Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. V. Washburn of Saskatoon, J. Grills of Regina, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rey of Portage La Prairie.

At the Dominion Hotel there was also an influx of prairie people today, among them being Mrs. Snowball and N. Shelitoe of Calgary, Fred Phillipp of Saskatoon, George B. Ross of Stoughton, J. S. Piper of Edmonton, B. Privat of Killarney, Man., R. J. Adams of Viking, Alta., J. Y. Smith of Saskatoon, N. E. Cochlan of Stavely, Alta.

Mrs. W. Black of Douglas, Man., who arrived at the Dominion Hotel with Mrs. A. E. Hetherington of Vancouver, has gone out to stay with some friends in town.

FROM NEARER POINTS

Mrs. E. McMorine, who is over from Vancouver, is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Robert E. Harvey, the attorney of Duncan, arrived in Victoria this morning with his wife.

From up-Island there also arrived Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas of Ladysmith, who are at the Dominion Hotel.

MINING MAN GETTING READY

B. O. Erickson, the mining man of Seattle, and one of the original discoverers of the famous Premier Gold Mine inthe Portland Canal, is in Victoria to-day at the Hotel Strathcona. He is here to complete the merger of the Rufus and Argentine mines and get operations off to an early start this Spring. Mr. Erickson said that negotiations are now on for the purchase of the combined mines by one of the larger operating companies. If that happens the present British Columbia and Seattle owners will have control.

Among the new prairie arrivals at the Hotel Strathcona to-day, are Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Watson of Regina, Miss Ellis and Miss Logan of Regina.

From Stansleau, Quebec, there have arrived Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald and they are at the Hotel Strathcona.

Seattleites here include Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jenloft and George Coate at the Hotel Strathcona.

On a honeymoon visit, Mr. and Mrs. Groves arrived from Vancouver this morning. They are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

ROTARIANS START STUDY SERIES OF SMALL INDUSTRIES

P. Watson Opens Programme of Weekly Sketches of Victoria's Specialty Factories

Percy Watson was the leading speaker at to-day's luncheon of the Rotary Club at the Empress Hotel, dealing with industries in Victoria. He pointed out that many great industries owe origin and success to the energy and foresight of one man, and cited a number of instances in Canada's development.

The industries committee of the Rotary Club has been examining the range of embryo industries in Victoria, and Mr. Watson remarked on the great number now active in Greater Victoria. W. M. Carmichael was introduced to the members, having created a flourishing silversmith industry since 1921, now employing five expert workers. The speaker showed that the efforts of the committee were devoted to advancing public acquaintance with Victoria industries turning raw materials into finished products sold in other parts of Canada.

"We have found a number of industries of unusual character in Victoria, and each week one of these will be introduced to you," stated Mr. Watson.

MUSICAL PARALLELS

T. R. Myers introduced a musical programme to prove that the difference between classical music and jazz is not as wide as commonly believed. He stated "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here" to be no other than a parody on "Il Travatore," while "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" is an old French soldier song. The close musical parallel between the opening chords of the Hallelujah chorus and "Yes, We Have No Bananas," was cited, to the high amusement of the audience, being followed by excerpts from "Dwelt in Marble Halls," which by a slight change in tempo, became one of the latest jazz tunes.

Miss Rita Ormiston, pianiste, and Mrs. Beatrice Floyd, soprano, rendered a number of selections to great applause.

TACOMA SESSIONS

T. P. McConnell urged a strong attendance of Victoria Rotarians at the Tacoma convention of Northwest Rotary Clubs, on April 25 and 26.

SCORES LACK OF MILITIA SUPPORT

Poor Accommodation in Vancouver Draws Colonel's Criticism

University Should Have Training Corps, Says Speaker

Poor accommodation provided for militia units in Vancouver, lack of suitable rifle ranges and the lukewarm attitude of leading citizens toward the militia, were vigorously denounced by Col. F. Gilman, D.S.O., speaking at the annual banquet of the Britannia Post of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held last night at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

The colonel's address was in reply to the toast of "The Army" proposed by Comrade J. Blair. "The units in Vancouver are laboring under many difficulties," he said. "God knows that any man who saw the last war never wants to see another outbreak but few will deny the need for an adequate defence force."

NO TRAINING CORPS

There was also no officers' training in the University of British Columbia he complained. The reason offered was that there was no accommodation in Vancouver for it. In the United States this provision was made at the universities and a thousand or more prospective officers were turned out every year.

It was the responsibility of every father who had a son at the University or every father whose son might go to the university, to see that this accommodation was provided in Vancouver. It was to the university that one must look to find the men to supplement the reserve of officers. Should the occasion arise it was to these well educated young men that the country must look to find officers who would lead Canada's soldiers.

INQUEST TO-MORROW ON WORKER KILLED

Wm. McIlvride Fails to Recover From Injuries After Scaffold Fall

A coroner's jury will hear the particulars connected with the death of William McIlvride, who died as the result of a fall from a scaffolding at the yards of the Canadian Puget Sound mills here yesterday. Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart will preside over the inquest, which is to be held at McCall's Funeral Parlor at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

McIlvride died at the Jubilee Hospital last night from injuries received when he fell from a height of twenty feet on to his head.

McIlvride was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McIlvride, 2934 Orillia Street. He was twenty-five years of age and leaves, besides his parents, a sister, Flora, and three brothers, Blythe, Robert and Harold. The latter two are in Detroit.

The funeral will take place from McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel on Friday, Rev. W. G. Wilson will conduct the services. Interment will be made at Royal Oak.

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45162—"Lonesome, That's All"—Tenor, Lambert Myrphy
45168—"Our Yesterdays"—Contralto.....Elsie Baker
45147—"Serenade" (Gounod)—Soprano.....Elsie King
45185—"Can't You Hear Me Calling, Caroline?"—Baritone ..... Geo. Macfarlane
45185—"That's an Irish Lullaby".....Geo. Macfarlane
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First race—Three furlongs.
Little Stout 115
Ida Newell 115
**Honeyco 115
**Civility 115
Kenney's 115
Hennetto Wildacre 115
*Shasta Comet 115
Red Cross Princess 115
Rein Nevada 115
Sailor Maid 115
*Shasta Sand 115
**Brown Shasta Entry.
*Nevada Entry.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs.
Scottish Lad 103
Radiance 88
Mary Kinkead 104
Rose Roberts 102
Emma Hoagland 109
Woodie Montgomery 103
Fehrah 110
Crowner 109
Miriam Wood 101
Hildreth Seth 98
Vanderburg 114
O Jo 93
John Hoshor 101
May Flower 99
Big Sapp 112
Suzette 96
Olympian King 98
Jack Sharper 103
Apres Moi 100
Ballynew 112

Third race—One mile and one sixteenth:
Praiseworthy 108
Pat Mabrey 108
Old Broadway 108
Tugs 108
Texas Ranger 112
Plenty Coos 108
Wonder Light 108
Tuxedo Sam 112
Dumbfounder 111
Shasta Baily 109
Olds Eight 108
Sportsman 114
Indian Tales 112
Metal 108
Plow Steel 108
Wracklane 114
Cruxern 108
Melachrino 117
Midnight Stories 108
Pearl Madeline 106

Fourth race—Five furlongs:
Rushing Waters 106
Kentle 108
*Combat 106
Geneluclle 107
Jola Shot 106
Fort Wayne 98
Tennessee 97
Charlotte Hall 92
Sunkist 104
Cyclonic 104
Witken 100
*Negotiator 106
Hyack 92
Honey Lass 104
To-morrow 92
* Canyon entry.

Fifth race—Five and a half furlongs.
Handsome Star 102
Soldier Bird 107
Josie Hartman 105
Trade Winds 107
Talbot 105
Oharusan 105
Silver Strand 105
Fiery Rose 105
Star Blaze 110
Bands of Purple 100
Princess Heremes 105
Buddy Clark 107
Lou Mack 105
Matilda B 105
Marjory Seth 110
Golden Sunset 105

Sixth race—Six furlongs:
Margaret St. L 108
*Runolathe 114
**Captain Guard 108
**Unionville 116
Jack Fairman 107
Merry Chase 112
Palolo 98
*Downtown 109
*Irwin entry.
**Cox entry.

Seventh race—Five furlongs.
Easter Belle 112
The Fresh Man 108
Sun Lynn 106
Shasta Pine 107
Don Eduardo 116
Old Kickapoo 90
Dolly Seth 104
Kit Carson 107

Eighth race—One mile and one-eighth.
Hyperion 107
Roller 109
Bardalin 107
Lierre 105
Irvinton 104
Apricot 104
Bunbury 102
Shafe 107
Doc Mason 104
Composer 101

Ninth race—One mile.
Belle K 101
Move on Seth 108
Stump Jr. 106
Billy Mann 107
Rosamond 102
Breechloader 100
Paciste 93
Darious 98
Poppina 113
Sixpence 106
Columbia II 93
Income 104
Raymond Dale 102
Island Fairy 98

HOCKEY, BOXING **TIMES SPORTING NEWS** GOLF, FOOTBALL

Policemen Protect Young From Crowds

Hero-worship in Los Angeles Reaches Unusual Proportions; Signs Contracts for Vaudeville Tour, Motion Picture and Press Story on His Experiences; Home for Mrs. Young on Catalina Island; Riot Outside Theatre When Cheque Is Presented to Swimmer; Sticks With His Pal; Manager Will Not Touch Prize-money

New York, Jan. 20.—A special dispatch to The New York World from Los Angeles to-day says hero worshippers and the curious are so thick on the trail of George Young, seventeen-year-old Toronto youth who won the Catalina Channel swim, that the chief of police has assigned two motorcycle policemen to accompany Young and protect him.

The dispatch continues:

"Out of the scores of contracts thrust towards Young, three offers probably will be accepted within the next two days, it was learned. One is from the Famous Players-Lasky Motion Picture Company. Another is from a vaudeville circuit for a tour of the country. The third is from a national press association for a series of articles on Young's experiences during the swim.

HOME ON CATALINA ISLAND

"Up to a late hour Wednesday no answer had been received from Young's mother in Toronto in response to her son's urgent request that she come here at once. William Wrigley Jr., millionaire sportsman, who gave the $25,000 prize for the race Young won has provided an elaborate home on Catalina Island for her use.

"Young yesterday began his five-day appearance at a Hollywood Theatre for which he will receive $1,000 a day. When he received the $25,000 prize money on the stage of the same theatre Tuesday night, a riot among thousands who blocked the streets outside was narrowly averted. It was three hours before Young could make his way from the theatre to go home."

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—George Young explained that his contract with O'Byrne calls for the trainer receiving forty per cent of the swimmer's earnings for the next year.

"My pal, Bill Hastings, who came South with me, also is going to get some of the money," said Young. "Bill and I formed a sort of friendly partnership and we split expenses all the way out here. Bill and I always were good friends, and he stuck to me through thick and thin, and if I have anything to say about it, we always will be pals."

Although O'Byrne's contract calls for $10,000 of the $25,000 prize money, he said he has told Young he will not claim this.

"It was my intention all along to give the boy the entire $25,000 if he won, but I had the contract drawn up to prevent any others from getting the best of him," explained O'Byrne. "Now that the prize has been won, I shall live up to my original intention and let him keep the full prize."

On the balance of the youth's earnings, however, the forty per cent share with O'Byrne stands.

He said he would sign no contract until it first was approved by William Wrigley Jr., millionaire donor of the channel prize, who has taken an interest in the young champion and offered to act as a financial adviser.

Toronto, Jan. 20—While he would like to return to Toronto and see his mother, George Young believes that his interests require him to remain for a while in California, according to a telegram received by Mrs. Young yesterday. The telegram is as follows:

"Dear Mother: — You don't know how happy I am to know that I am in a position to make so much money that I can give you all the nice things you should have. Mr. O'Byrne is like a father to me and I am constantly with him. Mr. Wrigley and his lawyers are arranging all the contracts so as to make the best arrangements possible. You must know that I would dearly love to return to Toronto, but this will have to be set aside for a short time until all business arrangements are completed, and I am making arrangements to send for you immediately upon receipt of your telegram saying you are ready to come. Answer at once. Love and kisses. Your loving son, George."

PULPIT WANTS VIEWS

Letters and telegrams of congratulations still pour into the Young home here. One of them, from a minister in Rochester, N. Y., who asked Mrs. Young to send him a collect message containing fifty words on the secret of her son's success for use in a sermon he is preparing.

Mrs. Young is being kept in quiet surroundings for a few days until she recovers from the strain and excitement coincident with her son's victory.

Toronto, Jan. 20 — Five thousand dollars was given to start a fund for George Young, winner of the San Pedro Channel swim, by Sir Edward Kemp, war-time Minister of Militia for Canada, here yesterday.

"There seems to be a lot of talk about what George Young should do," Sir Edward said. "We don't know whether Young is to remain here or we are to let the United States have him. But what have we to do with it unless we put up some money?"

Sir Edward called on Hon. W. H. Price, a member of the committee, which has offered to act in advisory capacity, and left his cheque for $5,000 and a suggestion that a home be bought for George and his mother.

Toronto, Jan. 20 — George Young may realize $181,000 out of his victory in the San Pedro Channel swim, according to a tabulation made by a local newspaper which estimates the gross amounts as follows:

Swimming prize, $25,000.

Five nights at Hollywood theatre, $5,000.

From beach club on whose beach he landed, $1,000.

Vaudeville, twenty weeks at $2,500, $50,000.

Moving pictures, possibly $50,000.

Advertising contracts, possibly $50,000.

Total, $181,000.

The last three items are estimated figures only, but are regarded as conservative by the newspaper.

Toronto Plans Fund And Civic Holiday On Young's Return

Toronto, Jan. 20—Preliminary plans for Toronto's welcome to George Young, Catalina Island marathon swimming victor, were made last night at a meeting held under the auspices of the Sportsmen's Patriotic Association and attended by representatives of almost every sporting organization in Toronto, civic officials and members of parliament. Suggestions were made at the meeting that a civic holiday be declared on the day he reaches here and that a monster parade with floats and a banquet be held.

P. J. Mulqueen, chairman of the Canadian Olympic committee, was elected chairman of the committee named to arrange the reception for Young and Elwood Hughes, president of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, was appointed secretary.

Following the contribution by Sir Edward Kemp of $5,000 towards a fund for Young and his mother, a meeting of prominent citizens was called and the Young Trust Committee formed to look after this and any further subscriptions. Hon. W. H. Price, attorney-general of Ontario, and Sir Edward are members of the committee. It was decided that Canadians throughout the Dominion should be given a chance to contribute to the fund and for this purpose all chartered banks have consented to accept contributions.

Fraser's Hot Shot Gives Chicago Win In Overtime Match

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The Chicago Black Hawks are again tied with Boston for second place in the American group of the National Hockkey League.

Chicago celebrated their return to home ice by defeating the Toronto St. Pats last night, but just did and no more, by dint of an extra period, and sensational hockey playing. Rallying with the score 3-1 against them as the third period started, the Hawks succeeded in tying the count, and hung on despite the fact that Capt. Dick Irvin was sent to the penalty box as the regular time ended.

Both teams were worn out, but St. Pats weakened first in the overtime session and Gordon Fraser slipped through with the winning goal. He stickhandled through the entire Toronto team and sent a wicked shot into the net. The shot climaxed a rough and fast game with twelve penalties called and more requested by the gallery.

THE LINE-UP

Chicago.		Toronto.
Lehman	Goal	Roach
Trapp	Defence	McCaffery
Fraser	"	Corbeau
Irvin	Centre	Day
Dye	Wing	Bourgeault
McVeigh	"	Carson
Wilson	Sub	Brydges
Dutkowski	"	Denennay
Doraty	"	Keeling
Traub	"	Halderson
Riley	"	

SUMMARY

First period—1, Black Hawks, Dye, 5.45; 2, St. Pats, Carson, 1.00; 3, St. Pats, Denennay, 10.15.

Second period—No score.

Third period—4, St. Pats, Brydges, 1.05; 5, Black Hawks, Irvin, 7.10; 6, Black Hawks, Dye, 9.55.

Overtime—7, Black Hawks, Fraser, 2.40.

PENALTIES

First period—McVeigh, Fraser, Bourgeault.

Second period—Irvin, Fraser.

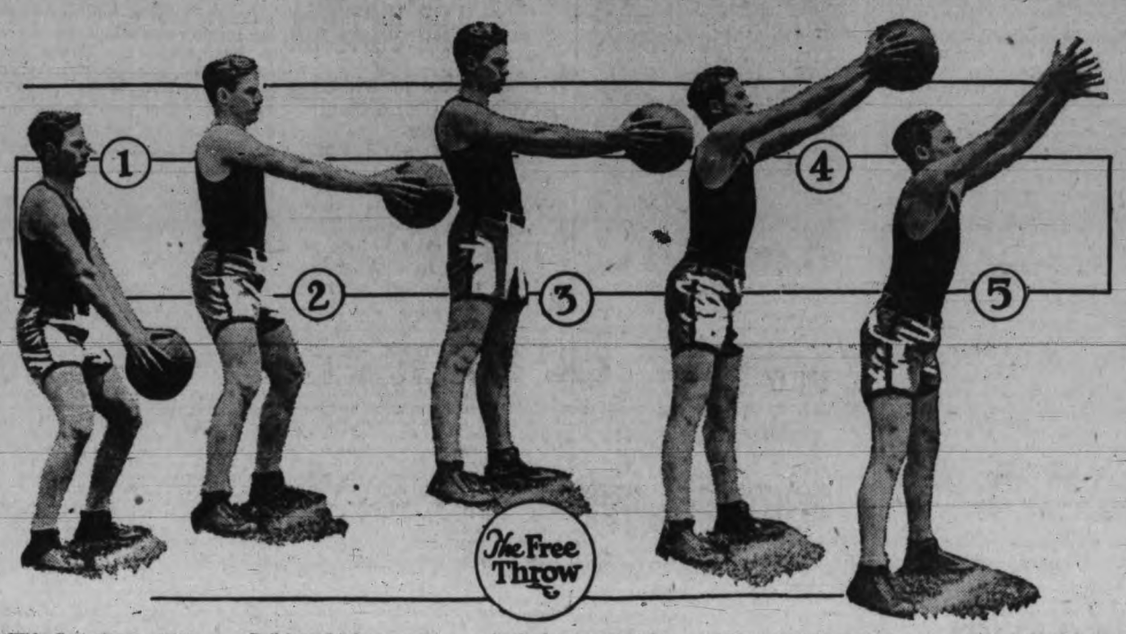
Third period—Brydges, Bourgeault, McVeigh, Irvin.

Overtime—Irvin.

MECHANICAL FREE THROW MOST ACCURATE SCORING STYLE

Five Distinct Movements Necessary to Successfully Execute This Highly Popular Method

By H. G. OLSEN



Wide firm stance, same position of feet each time. Ball held lightly, but firmly in fingers, arms extended straight out. Body loosely erect in "position of address."

Ball brought down, arms straight, as player makes a slight bend at the knees. The truck and head are held even. Don't bend forward from the hips.

As the legs are straightened, the arms are brought upward in a free and easy pendulum-like swing from the shoulders. Perfect co-ordination is most essential.

The pendulum swing continues upward, feet are kept flat on the floor in the original position. There is a slight flip of the wrists as the ball leaves the hands.

There should be a complete "follow-through." But note that the heels are still on the floor. There is no raising up on the toes, which tends to throw player off his balance.

The "mechanical style" of free throwing (i. e., the free throw, which employs as few of the finer muscular co-ordinations as possible) is probably the most accurate, as well as the most "teachable" style of free throwing. It is easily learned by the beginner and is used very successfully by some of the biggest stars in basketball. The illustrations are of John Miner, the Ohio State forward, who used the "mechanical method" of free throwing exclusively.

The mechanical nature of this method of free throwing can be demonstrated by having the player assume his position at the free throw mark and throw with the eyes shut. Many players, shooting with eyes closed, will make well over fifty per cent. of their tries, using this method.

The salient features of this method are: Same position of feet each time; slight dip of knees; pendulum-like upward swing of the arms; feet flat on floor throughout the action; the "follow through."

A high arch is not advisable. Aim to "slip" the ball over the front rim of the basket.

Baseball Rivals Marshall Cohorts For The Showdown

Landis and Johnson Prepare For Their Battle in Chicago on Monday Next

Chicago, Jan. 20.—President Ban Johnson of the American League has emphatically denied statements attributed to him a few days ago that the 1922 world's series was a fit subject for investigation by Commissioner K. M. Landis.

Mr. Johnson said that in a talk with a newspaperman he has mentioned various rumors that have sprung up after world's series games since 1917, and that he has been misunderstood. Mr. Johnson had been quoted as suggesting that Landis investigate the 1922 series if he wants something to investigate.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—While outward calm prevailed yesterday in the baseball controversy, involving the ousting of Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, fires smouldered beneath the surface as Commissioner Landis and Ban Johnson, president of the American League, marshalled cohorts for the showdown meeting here Monday.

The meeting is expected to determine whether Johnson should be condemned for causing Speaker and Cobb to be dropped for "managerial inefficiency," or Commissioner Landis should be censured for publishing the charges against the idols of the diamond.

Commissioner Landis returned from the committee meetings in French Lick Springs, Ind., but declined to comment on any of Johnson's statements. He indicated, however, that he would have consideration to say when the confronts Johnson and the eight American League club owners, all of whom have been summoned here by the commissioner to thresh out the Speaker-Cobb situation.

Incompetency, rather than crookedness, was given as the principal reason by Johnson for the expulsion from the American League of Speaker and Cobb.

"Talk of crookedness had no great part in our decision to demand the resignation of these managers," President Johnson said. "They simply were not equal to their jobs and had to go.

"The public has a right to expect that when they go to a ball game that the players are giving their best efforts to win, and neither Cobb nor Speaker was getting the most out of his team."

"What the American League board of directors will do toward supporting Johnson when they meet here Sunday preliminary to Monday's session with Landis is known only to themselves, and they have given no expression.

PICKING A SUCCESSOR?

However, all kinds of rumors were heard to-day along the baseball Rialto. One was to the effect that the American League club owners might ask Johnson to resign, although he has a long time contract at $40,000 a year; another was that the club owners already had offered the presidency to John K. Tener, former Governor of Pennsylvania, and one time president of the National League. Edward G. Barrow, business manager of the Yankees, also was mentioned as a possible successor to Johnson.

BRISTLING BATTLES of BARE FIST DAYS

(MY LIFE STORY)

by Jack McAuliffe

CHAPTER THIRTEEN

Did you ever hear of a prospective opponent giving an undefeated champion $5 to kid him along and prevent him running out of a fight?

It gave me a laugh, but it really happened. In the Fall of 1886 I became my own manager because Bill Madden was too busy campaigning for Charlie Mitchell. I made a match with Billy Frazier, boxing instructor at Harvard University. I wired for Patsy Sheppard, a well-known sport and saloon keeper of Boston, whom I had never met before, to be my second.

Arriving at Boston I went into Patsy's saloon to wait for him. I was cold and had eaten nothing since leaving New York, so I ordered two bottles of stout. They made me dizzy and I soon fell asleep with my head on the table. Patsy came in, took one look at me and said, "I'll not second that drunk and I'm going out and put my money on the other fellow."

That put me in fine. I had no money as I thought I could get some from him. I went around to Dave Blanchard's gym on Washington Street to see Frazier train. It was then I had my first look at a punching bag, crude as the thing was. Frazier brought a bottle of tea along with him and sipped it at intervals. He busted the punching bag and that gave me a cue to have a little fun, so I hollered, "I'm not going through with this fight. He's too strong. I'll have none of him!"

They all gathered around me trying to make me change my mind. Frazier then did the magnificent act of digging down into his pocket and handed me a five-dollar bill!

I spent it all on steaks, I was so hungry.

We met in a wholesale house's loft three days later. Frazier had a terrific uppercut, but nothing more than that. He was easy because I was cautious with him for about ten rounds and then stepped out and mowed him down in the twenty-first round.

That night I learned something. I went back to Patsy's saloon and who did I find behind the bar with a mirror in his hand, sorrowfully gazing at the bumps and welts on his face, but Frazier. He was vain and I had marked him quite a bit.

That gave me an idea. In all later fights when I began to cut an opponent up I always told him about it as I went along.

In the next chapter McAuliffe tells about a drastic rule against prize fighting and how a friend of his was given ten years in prison for attempting to promote a fight.

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HORSE RACING

Tia Juana, Mex., Jan. 20.—Results of racing here yesterday follow:

First race, three furlongs—1, Bon Fille, $17.60, $3.40, $3; 2, Seth's Romance, $2.40, $2.20; 3, Fort Worth, $4.80. Time :35 3-5.

Second race, five furlongs—1, Scotsman, $32, $14, $8; 2, Handsome Star, $12.60, $8; 3, Assault, $5.40. Time 1.101 3-5.

Third race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Chilliwack, $14.60, $6.20, $4.20; 2, Melachrino, $10, $4; 3, Indian Tales, $5.80. Time 1.46 1-5.

Fourth race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Erica, $5.60, $4, $2.60; 2, John Franklin, $6, $5.40; 3, Texas Ranger, $2.80. Time 1.46 4-5.

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Lady Lenoid, $7.40, $4, $2.60; 2, Bright Idea, $14, $6; 3, Columbia 11, $2.80. Time 1.45.

Sixth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Booze Buyer, $8.20, $3.40, $4.20; 2, New Beauty, $3.40, $2.80; 3, Tuscanelli, $6. Time 1.06 2-5.

Seventh race, five and one-half furlongs—1, La Jola, $32, $14, 8; 2, Hilarity, $14, 8; 3, Idle Thoughts, $8. Time 1.06 4-5.

Eighth race, one mile and one-sixteenth—1, Shasta Grande, $5.80, $3.60, $3.60; 2, Extra Edition, $10.80, $6.60; 3, Sixpence, $4.40. Time 1.47.

Ninth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Boomerang, $9.80, $5.20, $3.80; 2, Korbly, $4.60, $3; 3, Lampo, $4.00 Time 1.07.

Crow's Nest 'Spiel

Cranbrook, Jan. 20.—At the annual meeting of the Crow's Nest Pass Curling Association this afternoon, Lethbridge was awarded the 1928 bonspiel. The visiting curlers were banquetted last night.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF P.C.F.L. WILL CLEAR UP TROUBLES

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Although the personnel has not been announced it is reported that the jurisdiction committee of the Pacific Coast Soccer league, which the loop was given special permission by the D.F.A. to appoint, will hold its first meeting on Saturday, January 29, in this city. The council of the coast league is due to meet the same evening.

Several players belonging to coast league clubs have received marching orders from referees since the season started and none as yet have been dealt with. It is the intention to have the jurisdiction committee deal with all outstanding cases on January 29 and Secretary James Armstrong is collecting statements from the various parties concerned with this in view.

Chess Player Dies

Paris, Jan. 20.—David Janowski, famous chess player, is dead at Hyeres, France, at the age of fifty-eight.

Janowski was born in Russian Poland, May 25, 1868. He learned to play chess as a child, but did not make a serious study of the game until about 1886, when he removed to Paris. In international tournaments, Janowski played as the representative of France. In 1902 he succeeded S. Rosenthal as chess editor of Le Monde Illustre. He won numerous tournaments in Germany, Austria and England, and also appeared in many tournaments in the United States, winning the Atlantic City masters' tournament in 1921.

Several Changes In Basketball Rules Made By Canadians

Percy Page of Edmonton New President of Dominion Hoop Body

Ottawa, Jan. 20 — Pecy Page of Edmonton, was elected president of the Canadian Basketball Association for the next year as the result of the ballots returned to retiring Secretary McKinley from the different branches of the association, a final summary of which was made last evening. Sam Rogers of Toronto was elected first vice-president; Miss Alex. Gibb of Toronto second vice-president; with L. A. McAndley of Ottawa third vice-president. A total of eight branches were heard from. Mr. Page has the authority to appoint a secretary-treasurer, as it is necessary for these two officials to be in close touch with each other at all times and to insure that they should be in the same town.

CHANGES IN RULES

Changes in the rules regarding the association and the play-offs were made by almost unanimous votes.

1.—That the new executive be asked to make arrangements for a regular meeting of the Canadian Basketball Association to be held in the town in which the senior men's finals are held on the days that those games are being played, this Spring that will be in some Western town. The system of voting and electing officials by mail will be discontinued.

2.—Expense rule re the play-offs was added to and made clear and now reads as follows:

"That in all series which are not home-and-home series, the expenses of the party of ten be paid, such expenses to include railway fare for ten persons, lower berths for nine men on the trip preceding the series and hotel expenses while in the town in which the series are being played. For the return trip upper berths of sections must be provided."

Roller Hockey Boys To Organize Again In Three Classes

As a large number of Victoria's roller hockey players are desirous of getting the league in operation again this year, Secretary W. H. Davies announces that, in the event of a good entry being received for the different divisions of the league, the Victoria West gymnasium will be reopened, and a start made at an early date. It has been decided to operate the league this year on a slightly different basis, as the weight limit for the players in past years has caused dissension.

he divisions this year will be as follows:

Junior division—Fourteen years and under.

Intermediate division — Sixteen years and under.

Senior division—Seventeen years and over.

Eight players will constitute a team, and the five player rule will apply.

Managers are requested to enter their teams and register their players with Secretary W. H. Davies at 641 Fort Street, on or before January 17, at which date entries will close, and the schedule of games will then be prepared.

CANADIAN CURLERS WIN HILL TROPHY FROM AMERICANS

Superior, Wis., Jan. 20.—Canadian rinks won the international event and the great silver Louis W. Hill trophy by defeating the four picked American rinks at the thirty-fourth annual bonspiel of the Northwestern Curling Association here yesterday by a total score of 44 to 35. Only total scores count in this special event, one of fourteen in the bonspiel.

Two of the American rinks won their matches and two Canadians won theirs, but Haig of Winnipeg defeated McLeod of Duluth 21 to 5, making a balance too great to be overcome.

College Hoopsters Easy Winners Over Sons of St. George

Collegians Win by 36-10; Comates Easily Beat the Y.M.C.A. by 13-5

Victoria College boys and the Comates, senior girls, were victors in the City Basketball League games played at Centennial gymnasium last night. In each case the winners had an easy time, getting the decision by a wide margin. The Sons of St. George took the small end of the score from the College by a 36-10 count and the Y.M.C.A. were victims of the scintillating Comates by 13-5.

The Hudson's Bay did not field a team for their scheduled game against the Sons of Canada. The Sons won an exhibition encounter by 32-18.

The College allowed the Sons of St. George but two points in the first half of their encounter, shooting twelve markers for themselves. After the interval the Collegians continued their scoring ways and were never menaced by their opponents.

Basso refereed and the teams were:

College—Tervo, Dunsmore, Knott, MacQueen, Johnson, Little and Hume.

Sons of St. George—Scafe, Shapland, Mercer, Cummings and Noel.

The opening session of the girls' game was the most thrilling of the evening, the "Y" holding their opponents to a 7-5 score. The association squad were unable to locate the basket in the second half, while the Comates ran in six points. It was a senior "A" fixture.

The teams:

Comates—Gates, Robertson, Gates, Wellburn and Melville.

Y.M.C.A.—Bailey, Castley, McDonald, Wienberg, Pegrum and Griffin.

Referee, Tommy Forbes.

Another three-game card is scheduled for the Centennial to-night. Two senior "B" games are booked as well as an intermediate "A" fixture.

The programme follows:

7.30—Intermediate "A": 112th Battalion vs. C.P.S.

7.45—Ladies' Senior "B": Spencers vs. White Lunch.

9.00—Men's Senior "B": Kinsmen vs. Foresters.

Vancouver Ruggers Picked to Play in City on Saturday

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Following the sitting of the selection committee of the Vancouver Rugby Union, J. H. Scott, chairman of the committee, announced the rep team which will play against Victoria at the Capital on Saturday in the McKechnie Cup series, and which will also, with a few minor changes, represent Vancouver in the first game against the New Zealand Maoris here on January 29 at the Brocklon Point oval.

Following is the team which will go to Victoria: Fullback, C. Prenter; three-quarters, E. C. Pinkham, E. V. Pinkham, M. Rowan and W. Crone; five-eighths, P. Wilson; halfbacks, A. Farmer and Hee McLean; forwards, V. Gunnion, P. Choate, F. McDermott, H. Dobison, S. Boyd, V. Gwyther and O. Tiffin; spares, R. Rowan and W. Bains. The spares for the games against the Maoris will be R. Rowan, W. Mahon, L. Edgett, W. Bains and D. Clarke.

WITH THE BOWLERS

In the Commercial Bowling League yesterday the Travelers took three games from the Eagles.

The scores were:

U.C.T.			
Sibbald	190	123	160—523
Theobald	156	197	144—497
Marshall	171	138	187—496
Denholm	184	143	136—433
Hiscocks	160	167	157—484
Total	831	818	784—2433

EAGLES			
Neill	129	116	122—367
Forster	148	127	166—441
Vasherese	168	129	172—469
Lapp	117	134	109—360
Low score	154	138	136—428
Total	716	644	705—2065

N.H.L. STANDINGS

Canadian Group

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Ottawa	21	16	3	2	34
Canadiens	22	11	10	1	23
Americans	23	11	11	1	23
Maroons	21	8	11	2	18
Toronto	21	6	12	3	15

American Group

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Rangers	21	12	7	2	26
Boston	22	10	11	1	21
Chicago	21	10	10	1	21
Detroit	22	8	12	2	18
Pittsburgh	21	7	13	1	15

Clubmen Will Need To Strengthen For Playoff With R. & T.

Bakers Defeat Tillicums in Deciding League Game and Get Place in Playoff

Navy and Hudson's Bay in Scoreless Draw; Schedule Finishes Next Week

Unless the Tillicum Football Club bolster their line-up considerably before the Wednesday League play-off, Rennie & Taylors look good enough to win the Pendray Cup in a walk.

The Bakers yesterday made certain of a place in the play-off by pasting a defeat sign on the backs of the Tillicums by 2-0. This victory gave the bakers a five-point margin in the standing, a lead which cannot be overcome before the end of the season. This the second defeat for the clubmen at the hands of the Bakers in the second half.

Despite the fact that they fielded their strongest squad yesterday the Tillicums were unable to score. This does not speak well for their chances in the play-off.

The Hudson's Bay and the Navy battled to a scoreless draw yesterday. By holding the departments down without a score the Navy helped cinch second half honors for the bakers.

Both of the games were played under unfavorable weather conditions, cold blasts sweeping the grounds.

Rennie and Taylors achieved their signal victory at the Royal Athletic Park. Early in the second half they rushed through two counters, and held the advantage until the finish.

McKinnon, the centre half, netted the opening tally, twisting Davis's corner kick into the hemp. The second counter was a soft one, Field's header sliding off Armitage's foot for a score.

Inconsistent work by the Tillicum forwards around the goal mouth prevented them from scoring. The clubmen had a fair share of the play throughout, but failed to capitalize their opportunities. The breaks were against them in some instances as well. In the second half, especially, the slubmen were unlucky. At times the whole team was on the attack.

Fortune favored the opposition when the Tillicums failed to score on a penalty shot. Hocking kicked from the "spot" and sent in a whizzing shot for the corner of the net. The wind deflected it just enough to hit the upright. Hewison refereed, and the teams were:

Rennie & Taylors—Lomas; Gilbert and Tupman; Sewell, McKinnon and Stewart; Taylor, Field, Jeffries, Speak and Davis.

Tillicums—Matthews; Wolsey and Armitage; Owen, Hocking and Rutledge; Davis, Ross, Brown, Borde and Graham.

Percy Shrimpton stole a victory away from the Navy at Beacon Hill Park. The good work of the Hudson's Bay custodian beat the tars, who had an edge on the play, but could not send the leather into the net.

The sudden uprising of the Navy has been a source of surprise in Wednesday League circles. During the early part of the season the tars were badly off color, but lately they have flashed into prominence. Although unable to make any headway against Rennies, they have defeated the Tillicums and held the formidable departmentals scoreless.

Next week the Wednesday League will draw its regular playing schedule to a close. The games will be as follows:

Rennie & Taylors vs. Hudson's Bay at Beacon Hill Park.

Tillicums vs. Navy at Royal Athletic Park.

A postponed game between the Tillicums and Hudson's Bay is also on the card, but it is likely, according to the league secretary, that this game will not be played since it will have no bearing on the standing.

West Road Teams To Play Up-island Clubs To-morrow

Two teams from Cobble Hill and Shawnigan Lake will be the opponents for West Road and Bamberton at the West Road Hall on Friday night.

The up-Islanders are strong as they have signed several Victoria boys who are teaching school up there. Jack McKenzie and Dave Foubister, ex-Falcons, play for Cobble Hill and provide a good scoring defence. Art Plows, another First Churchman, is one of the mainstays of the Shawnigan quintette.

The Bamberton cement men have as the nucleus of their team several of the West Road players who are working at the plant.

The first game will be between the Shawnigan Lake and Bamberton teams, and will start at 7.45 sharp.

The second game will be between Cobble Hill and the West Road ladies.

The feature game of the evening will start about 9 o'clock, and will bring together the senior men of Cobble Hill and West Road. Some of the line-ups have been announced as follows:

Bamberton—B. Snade, C. Sluggett, A. Styan, J. Brooks, D. Hamilton.

West Road (ladies)—E. Anderson, M. Peden, A. Rice, O. Anderson, T. Clarke, T. Tomlinson

West Road (seniors)—G. Lannan, M. Lannan, H. Tubman, M. Rice, P. Lannan, J. Lannan.

Music for the dance following will be supplied by Pullen's orchestra. Refreshments also will be served.

AT THE THEATRES

SHOW-OFF TYPICAL OF CERTAIN CLASS OF AMERICAN FOLK

Have you a little show-off in your home? Or perhaps in your home town? Of course you have!

Then you are sure to enjoy Paramount's new comedy, "The Show Off," showing at the Playhouse this week, because this film version of the famous stage play by George Kelly dramatizes this familiar American indivual in satiric style and with striking fidelity.

According to Malcolm St. Clair, who directed the picture with Ford Sterling in the title role, Aubrey Piper, the show-off, is the most typical American character the screen has ever known.

"Essentially," emphasized St. Clair, "the show-off" is an American creation like baseball, skyscrapers and Broadway, but he is by no means an exclusive U.S.A. product. You will find his counterparts the world over—in Europe, Asia and darkest Africa.

"There are all kinds of show-offs, female as well as male. As a matter of fact, there's a little of the show-off in everyone's nature. When we look around a bit, it is surprising how many Aubrey Pipers we can recognize in one form or another. The fact that they abound so plentifully in real life is the main reason why people get a 'kick' out of seeing them on the stage or screen.

Where To Go To-night

Royal — "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes."
Columbia—"No Man's Gold."
Coliseum—"The Family Upstairs."
Capitol—"The Penalty."
Dominion—"Flesh and the Devil."
Playhouse—"Three Little Maids."
Variety—"So This Is Paris."
Crystal Garden—Sea Bathing and Dancing.

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LUBITSCH DRAMA SET IN BEAUTIES OF PARIS WORLD

"So This Is Paris," the latest and most perfect of the light comedy creations of Lubitsch, the master of directors, now showing at the Variety. This is another Warner picture, as were these universal favorites of fandom, "The Marriage Circle," "Lady Windermere's Fan,"

Lubitsch is able to catch the delirium of the jazz age, and yet to capture the underlying humanity of the characters which glitter across the shadowy canvas of the silver screen. His characters are never puppets, but vivid and living, and more to be remembered than most we meet in actual life. Monte Blue and Patsy Ruth Miller are featured in "So This Is Paris" as two devoted newly-weds, who get unwittingly into unbelievably ludicrous complications with the couple across the street, played by Andre de Beranger and Lilian Tashman.

"So This Is Paris" quickens the blood, makes one forget the business worries and the family cares. It is as good as a vacation. Better than medicine. The whole family will rave about it. It will be revived many and many a time, after its initial run as the rest of Lubitsch's pictures have been.

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LON CHANEY NOW LEGLESS CROOK IN CAPITOL FILM

"Blizzard," the character played by Lon Chaney in "The Penalty," now at the Capitol Theatre, is a histrionic achievement that, once seen, will never be forgotten. This role is unique in the annals of the screen. Blizzard, the legless master of San Francisco's underworld, whose satanic hatred of humanity is tinged with the fantastic cruelty of an unbalanced mind, is perhaps the most unusual hero ever presented in a motion picture production. Chaney's marvelous characterization is sure to be greeted as one of the finest pieces of acting ever done before the camera.

NO WAR SCENERY IN HISTORIC PLAY NOW AT DOMINION

Filming the most militaristic period in Germany without a single war scene is the strange feat of Clarence Brown, in directing "Flesh and the Devil," now playing at the Dominion Theatre. This lavish adaptation of Sudermann's classic, "The Undying Past," is a tense drama of Germany before the war, with a theme that goes deep into the heart of European sociological conditions. John Gilbert, Greta Garbo and Lars Hanson head a famous cast in the big production, made at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

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COLISEUM SHOWS SPARKLING PLAY ALL THIS WEEK

Ed. Redmond, as the father in "The Family Upstairs" is giving a great show in the leading character role, and this amusing play at the Coliseum is often stopped by the applause of the audience. It is a comedy delightfully dealing with the lives of a family with a pretentious mother, who, while trying to secure the happiness of her daughter, always says the wrong thing and so frightens away a likely suitor who is afraid his fiancee lives in a style too great for him to maintain. Jack Cassidy is handling the part of "Willie," the young son, in a way that is proving popular with the audience; and Marion Goddard (as the mother), and Eileen Allwood (as the elder daughter) are doing good work in a fine show with Joe Kemper in the leading masculine role, who capably portrays the said "suitor." It is one of the best shows seen in Victoria for a long time.

TOM MIX STARS WITH EVA NOVAK IN NEWEST FILM

Tom Mix, starring in "No Man's Gold," has as his leading woman Eva Novak, who has appeared with him in four of his releases. She was the leading woman in "Sky High," "Rough Diamonds," "The Speed Maniac" and "The End of the Trail."

"No Man's Gold" is Fox Films versions of J. Allan Dunn's dramatic novel about a gold mine and a girl, which is now showing at the Columbia Theatre. Mix has the role of Tom Stone, a cowpuncher, and Miss Novak plays the part of Jane Rogers, cowgirl rider, owner of the Box R ranch. Stone wins both the mine and the girl after a series of thrilling and unusual events.

Cast with Mix and Miss Novak are Frank Campeau, the silk-hat gambler of the "3 Bad Men;" Harry Gripp, who played "Ivan the Nameless" in "Siberia," Micky Moore, nine-year-old veteran of twenty-five motion picture dramas; Malcolm Waite famous for his role of Carter in "Kentucky Pride," and Forrest Taylor, who returns to the screen after starring on the stage for eight years.

The story is a vivid drama of the desert, adapted by John Stone, who wrote the continuity of "3 Bad Men" and other Fox Films features.

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BOX OFFICE OPEN FOR COMEDY PLAY COMING TO ROYAL

The sale of seats is open at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the performances next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, of Edgar Selwyn's outstanding comedy hit of the present season, namely: "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," now the rage in New York, and which has also been a big success wherever presented. It also ran in Chicago for six months to enormous business.

The plot is described as a delicious parody of modern life in those circles wherein move what would be regarded twenty-five years ago with virtuous horror, but which is now taken as a matter of course—the-Young-Lady-Who-Is-Out-for-All-She-Can-Get. Lorelei Lee is the young woman in the present instance—a Lorelei, indeed.

"KOSHER KITTY KELLY" COMING TO VARIETY

Bubbling with a warm, human story of the tenement district of New York's East Side, and capped with a thrilling fire scene as the big climax, F.B.O.'s Gold Bond special, "Kosher Kitty Kelly," will begin its local showing here next week at the Variety Theatre. Under the magic direction of James Horne, noted as one of the best comedy directors in Hollywood, the screen version of the famous stage play is not only a powerful dramatic picture, but is packed with delicious humor and screamingly funny interpretations of the Jewish and Irish characters about whom the story is written.

Viola Dana gives a delightful portrayal of the little Irish heroine, and is ably seconded by Tom Forman as the Hibernian policeman. Stanley Taylor, Vera Gordon, Nat Carr, Aggie Herring, Carroll Nye and Kathleen Myers have the chief supporting roles and all do splendid work. Gerald Duffy made the screen picture from Leon De Costa's play, and Frank Ormston supervised the production.

BOY HAD REVOLVERS

Vancouver, Jan. 20. — A fifteen-year-old boy was found to be a veritable walking arsenal when he was lodged in the juvenile detention home here yesterday afternoon on a theft charge. Arrested on two charges of stealing bicycles, the youth, small for his age and apparently mild of manner, gave the officers a decided shock when they searched him at the detention home. He was found to have an automatic pistol and a revolver, both fully loaded, concealed on him. No explanation could be secused from him as to his motive for carrying the guns.

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NOTED PIANISTE IS GIVEN GREAT RECEPTION HERE

Elly Ney Greeted With Storm of Applause at Royal Victoria Theatre Last Night

The final concert in the Winter Artists' Course, sponsored and arranged by the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club, took place last evening at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

The occasion marked the first appearance here of Elly Ney, reckoned as one of the world's greatest exponents of pianistic art, and, like Richard Buhlig, is "placed" among the greatest living interpreters of Beethoven and of Brahms. In tribute of this she has been invited to play several works of the former great master in some engagements in Europe at his centenary in the Spring, especially taking part in a Beethoven programme to be given at Bonn, the master's birthplace, in May next.

It was fitting, thereofre, that Elly Ney's programme opened with and included examples of three great composers, the "F Minor Sonate,' op. 5, by Johannes Brahms, and the "Six Variations in F Major," op. 34, by Beethoven. The Brahms's number, recently sketched in our music columns, though substituted for a Beethoven sonata, proved an immense treat. It was a brilliant performance and those present at once recognized that they were hearing some of the cleanest, most lucid and well-balanced piano playing in many a season. The Andante was delicious and the Scherzo delightful in crispness and perfect rhythm.

But it was Beethoven that enchained the attention of her listeners, and there can be no denying the fact, judging from the tremendous applause given at the conclusion of the "Variations" that Elly Ney's Beethoven playing created the longing for more of the great master. Of this form Beethoven was especially fond, and in these the simple, vital germ of thought, or feeling inherent, is seen in the ever-changing moods of beauty, suggestiveness and possibilities of expression as developed through the successive variations. They were beautifully played.

The "Merche" by Sergei Prokoneff, pupil of Laidov at the Petrograd Conservatory, showed strong futuristic leanings. This number and the "Dause d' Olaf" by Pick-Mangiazalli, were heard here for the first time, at the conclusion of the latter. Miss Ney was obliged to again and again bow her acknowledgments, so delighted were her hearers. Debussy—vague, refined, undefinable and creator of the new style—Impressionism (founded on dissonances), is always a contrast to the beautiful modulations of the masters. The French composer was represented in the programme by the inclusion of his "Dause." These three numbers were resplendent examples of her technique, of her eloquent serenity, of her genious and splendid gifts, of her melting moods, all further illuminated in the group of four Chopin numbers: "Etude, E Major," op. 10, No. 3; "The Ballade in A Flat Major," op. 47; "Waltz, A Flat Major,' and "The Polonaise in A Flat Major," op. 53. She, too, is a rare Chopin player. She is never boisterous, she never thunders, but her fortes are mellow and based on a true conception of the nature of piano tone. Her left hand is prodigiously clever; her runs clean-chisselled and her pianissimos, beauty of tone, polished and musicianly understanding mark her as an artist of the highest rank.

At the completion of her programme she met with storms of applause, and in response to prolonged plaudits gave two further numbers, one of which was Brahms's dainty and pretty "Lullaby," by request.

EXTENSIONS MADE TO SIDNEY MILLS

Construction Work Proceeds During Temporary Shutdown

Sidney, Jan. 20.—The Sidney mills closed down last week for a general overhaul, minor repairs being done to the machinery, etc., in the main part of the mill.

Among the many facilities for handling lumber in the yard is the erection of a huge new Gantry derrick. This derrick is 90 feet high and has a boom of 90 feet, being capable of handling the larger timbers which are being produced. The construction work is being done under the supervision of Superintendent T. Rigg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Branson have returned home after spending a few weeks visiting relatives and friends in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Spearin, All Bay, had a pleasant surprise last week, when three nephews, the Wescott brothers of Whitewood, Sask., whom they had never seen, paid them a short visit en route to the United States.

Mr. S. M. Carter and family have moved from Broeds Cross Road to the residence on the East Road, recently vacated by Mr. J. B. Burton.

Mr. C. P. Henstock and family have moved from Thomas's Crossing to Mount Newton Cross Road, Saanichton, where they will reside.

The Deep Cove Social Club held a very successful 500 drive on Monday evening. There were a large number of members and their friends and members from Mount Newton and Sidney Social clubs who attended and spent a most enjoyable evening. First prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Beattie, Mr. Gordon Haldon and Dorothy Calvert. Second prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Lacoursiere, Mr. Rochon and Mr. Gosling, and consolation, Mr. and Mrs. Tighe, Mr. Jackson and Mr. George Lloyd. During the interval a very delightful musical programme was given which was very much appreciated. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Alan Calvert.

The annual meeting of the Sidney Board of Trade will be held on Tuesday, February 8. Election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. Members are asked to reserve the date.

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The dose of a dimeful taken every morning is found in practice just the right amount for a most invigorating daily tonic. The medicinal dose for persons suffering from pains of rheumatism, gout, lumbago, or sciatica, or habitual constipation, with inactive liver, etc., is half to one teaspoonful in a tumbler of hot water before breakfast. Every druggist sells Kruschen. A 75c. bottle lasts nearly six months. This works out at half a cent a day for health and happiness. Get a bottle at your druggist's to-day and start to-morrow. It's the little daily dimeful that does it!
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BRITANNIA POST HOST AT BANQUET

First Annual Function at Chamber of Commerce Proves Success

With representatives of every other ex-service men's organizations in the city present and a distinguished list of guests the annual banquet of the Britannia Post of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League held last night at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium provided a striking example of the unanimity of ex-soldiers and sailors since the formation of the Canadian Legion.

Comrade J. Food, president, cordially welcomed the guests and hoped the banquet would be the forerunner of many similar functions.

Comrade Harry King gave the toast of "The Navy," "The Senior Service, Second to None" was the brief tribute of the speaker who himself has had a long and eventful record of service on the seas. "This is my maiden speech. May I suggest in response we sing "Sons of the Sea" said Lieutenant Woods replying in the absence of Commander Nelles. The song was sung with enthusiasm.

"The Army" was proposed by Comrade J. Blair and replied to by Colonel F. Gilman, D.S.O., in the absence of General Ross G.O.C.M.D. No. 11. Alderman J. B. Clearihue proposed the toast of the press and spoke of his own flight into the realms of journalism as star contributor to the 16th Battalion newspaper, "The Brazier."

Songs were given during the evening by Comrade W. S. X. Thomas, Jack Davies and E. Worth. Professor Reginald S. Nevitt, piano, and W. Webb, saxophone, led community singing.

RHINELAND ARMY'S POSITION DISCUSSED

Paris, Jan. 20.—Germany must make it worth while to France if it wanted the Rhineland evacuated in advance of the dates fixed by the Treaty of Versailles, Foreign Minister Briand yesterday told the foreign affairs committee of the Chamber of Deputies.

The Foreign Minister emphatically declared his hands were free on the question of evacuation. Discussing his conversation with Foreign Minister Stresemann of Germany, M. Briand said: "I entered into no engagement, and made no promise to Dr. Stresemann. Dr. Stresemann expressed the hope arrangements could be made for the anticipated evacuation in a general conversation at Thiry which bound no one." M. Briand then told the committee the French Government was awaiting concrete proposals from Germany concerning an earlier evacuation than was called for in the treaty. "When they are received" he said "they will be considered, providing the security of the French frontiers is amply assured and on condition the Germans offer compensation which will make it worth while."

EASY TO DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For only 75 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. (Advt.)

The Burns Club of Victoria, B.C.
Annual Dinner
to be held in
Chamber of Commerce Hall
on
Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1927
Tickets, $1.50 and $2.50, can be had from Mr. Geo. C. Grant, Times Office, Mr. W. B. Grant, Spencer's Drug Department, and member of the Executive.
Members and their friends intending to be present at dinner are requested to secure their tickets by Saturday, 22nd inst.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, Jan. 20 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The tendency to sag was featured in the early dealings, but later on, especially in the late afternoon the usual Thursday talk of a lowering in rediscount rate promoted covering operations, which influenced recoveries in many sections of the stock list.

There was early evidence of profit taking and in the case of some specialties such as McCrory the sharp decline was accompanied by talk of a lowering in the dividend rate, and quite likely the action of this stock dominated the trend of some of the merchandise shares, but rails and oils acted well in spite of the fact that the market acted tired at times.

The market will probably continue as a selective affair for the present and mixed movements, the result of shifting from industrials into the rails and the oils will probably continue to dominate the market situation.

New York, Jan. 20 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wall Ctreet Wire)—The Wall—Street Journal's stock market edition this afternon says: Steady absorption of standard dividend rails was again the most impressive feature of the market.

More gold came in from Europe giving additional momentum to the buying movement. As the tremendous building boom of the last several years was one of the important influences in creating the "Coolidge" bull market, Wall Street was greatly interested in the overnight discussion regarding construction activities.

Although S. W. Strauss suggested that a curtailment programme in apartment house erection be adopted for six months, he emphasized the point that he did not expect any great falling off in the aggregate volume of general building throughout the country this year. He estimated that more than $2,000,000,000 in construction had been carried over from 1926, and said there would be an usual maunot of public building and public utility construction.

CANADIAN RAILROAD PROFITS BY RADIO

Montreal, Jan. 20. — Radio has proved itself an asset in railroading, according to the claims of Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways.

Four years ago this railway adopted radio as part of its service. Since then nine stations have been added to the system, stretching across Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

"From every point of view the establishment of our broadcasting system has been justified," Thornton declares. "The public has shown keen appreciation of the service it has enabled us to render to both radio fans and travelers in Canada and the United States. In addition, radio has been a great help within the oragnization itself."

The broadcasting service is far listeners in their homes and, in addition, the road makes a feature of radio reception on its trains, more than fifty of which are now equipped with receiving sets in the library-observation cars.

Franc Revaluation Hope Called Folly

Paris, Jan. 20.—M. Caillaux, former Minister of Finance of France, believes the "hope of revaluation of the franc which is being held out to the public is criminal folly."

He gave his views to a committee of the Radical Party last night, saying:

"The only way to avert disaster is to take steps to bring about stabilization at the earliest possible date, but stabilization must be carefully thought out in all details, as otherwise all commercial and industrial activity would become impossible."

Swiss to Lend Funds to France

Paris, Jan. 20.—The French Government has arranged for another Swiss loan, says a Havas News Agency dispatch from Zurich, under the provisions of the loan agreement entered into with Raymond Poincare as Minister of Finance, will float a 130,000,000 Swiss franc loan. The proceeds are to go to the French state railways.

Sugar Refinery Sold In $14,000,000 Deal

New York, Jan. 20.—Sale of the Warner Sugar Corporation Refinery, New Jersey, to the National Sugar Refining Company was announced to-day. No details were given, but it is understood the transaction involved about $14,000,000. No public financing is contemplated.

The Warner Sugar Refining Company, the subsidiary which handled the refining business, probably will go out of existence. The corporation, however, will continue to operate the Warner Sugar Company of Cuba and the Canto Sugar Company, which own about 110,250 acres of sugar plantations in Cuba. The Warner corporation also is expected to continue to operate the New Hampshire Stave and Heading Mill of North Stratford, N.H.

Both the refining and Cuban properties of the Warner Company have been operated for some time by Lowry & Co., Inc., who assumed control after the appointment of a Warner bondholders committee.

he Edgewater Refinery, with a capacity of 11,000 barrels daily, is reported to be one of the most modern of the country.

Mr. Blinn (to his butler): "What made you so late?"

Butler: "I fell downstairs, sir."

"That ought not to have taken you long."

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, JANUARY 20, 1927

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

Allis Chalmers	92-2	92-2	92-2
Allied Chem	136	135-4	135-4
Am. Beet Sugar	22-5	22-5	22-5
Am. Bosh. Mag.	15-1	13-3	13-6
Am. Can.	47-2	46-6	46-7
Am. Car & Fdy.	101	101	101
Am. Locomotive	108	106-4	108
Am. Smelters	140-3	139-4	139-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	45-2	45	45-1
Am. Sugar	82	82	82
Am. Sum. Tob.	45-7	45-2	45-5
Am. Tel. & Tel.	153-1	152-2	152-4
Am. Tobacco	122	122	122
Am. Tobacco B.	121-1	121-1	121-1
Am. Woolens	26-7	26-1	26-4
Anaconda	48	47-6	47-6
Armour A.	15-6	15-6	15-6
Atlantic Gulf	39-2	39	39
Atchison	169-2	167-4	169
Baldwin Loco.	146-1	145	145
Baltimore & Ohio	113-2	111-6	112-7
Bethlehem Steel	47-2	46-4	46-6
Brooklyn Manhat.	70-6	69	69-5
California Pack'g	67-4	67-4	67-4
California Pete	32-3	31-4	31-5
Can. Pacific	169	168-5	168-6
Central Leather	9-4	9-4	9-4
Cerro De Pasco	61-1	61-1	61-1
Chandler pfd.	10-4	10-4	10-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	160-4	160-1	160-1
Chicago Gt. Western	9-4	9-4	9-4
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul	11-6	10-5	10-7
Chi. & Northwestern	83	82-2	82-2
Chi. R. I. & P.	74-2	74	74
Chrysler Motor	41-7	41-2	41-6
Coco Cola	171-6	169-6	169-6
Col. Fuel & Iron	49-2	47-1	49-2
Columbia Gas	88-1	87-3	88-1
Cons. Gas	105-7	105	105
Cont. Can	72	72	72
Cont. Oil	21-6	21-6	21-6
Cont. Motor	12-4	12-2	12-2
Corn Products	47-6	47-2	47-2
Crucible Steel	79-6	79-4	79-6
Cuba. Am. Sugar	27-5	27	27-5
Davison Cham.	31	31	31
Del. Lack & West.	144-6	144-6	144-6
Dodge Bros.	25-3	24-7	25-3
Dupont Powder	174	172-1	173-2
Elec. Powder	17-5	17-6	17-5
Engineer Gold	4	4	4
Erie	41-2	41	41
Erie First pfd.	54-6	54-2	54-2
Famous Players	112	111	111-5
Foundation Co.	79-5	78-4	79-2
Fox Film "A"	69-2	69	69
Fleischmann Co.	47-2	47-1	47-1
General Asphalt	84-2	83-4	83-4
General Cigar	81	80-6	81
Gen. Electric	84	83-6	83-6
Gen. Motors	150-5	148-6	150
General Petroleum	68-4	68-4	68-4
Goodrich Rubber	50	49-4	49-4
Granby	34	33	33
Great North. Ore.	203	20-2	20-3
Great North. pfd.	87	86-2	86-2
Gt. West. Sug.	114	112-5	113-4
Gulf States Steel	55-2	55-2	55-2
Houston Oil	71-6	69	71-6
Howe Sound	39-7	39-2	39-7
Hudson Motor	51-4	51-1	51-1
Hupp Motors	21-4	21-4	21-4
Illinois Central	121-4	121-4	121-4
Imperial Oil	40	40	40
Inspiration	24-4	24-4	24-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	49-3	48-4	49-2
Int. Nickel	40-5	40	40
Int. Tel. & Tel.	127	126-7	127
Kan. City South	43-4	43	43-4
Kennicott Copper	62	61-7	61-7
Lehigh Valley	122-2	121-4	122
Louisiana Oil	17-1	16-2	16-3
Louis & Nash	132-4	132-4	132-4
Mack & Truck	93-4	91-3	92
Manhatten Elec.	56	56	56
Marland Oil	58-2	57-7	57-7
Mex. Seaboard	7-5	7-5	7-5
Miss. Pacific pfd.	96	95-6	95-6
Miss. Pacific	43	41-6	41-6
Mid. Cont. Pete	39	38-4	38-4
Miami	15-4	15-4	15-4
Montana Pawer	82-4	82-4	82-4
Montgomery Ward	64-4	63	63-2
Moon Motor	10-5	10-5	10-5
Motor Meter	35	35	35
Motor Wheel	22	22	22
Nash Motors	67-6	67	67-4
National Biscuit	99	98-5	99
Nat. Cash Reg.	41-4	41-3	41-4
Nat. Dairy Prod.	74-7	74	74
National Lead	166-4	165-5	166-2
Norfolk & West.	160-2	160-2	160-2
North American	49-4	48-6	48-6
Northern Pacific	84	83-4	83-5
N.Y. Ceneral	144-5	143-2	143-7
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	44	43-6	44
N.Y., Ont. & West.	24-7	24-1	24-4
Packard Motor	35-4	35-2	35-2
Pan. American	65-1	65	65
Pan. American B.	66-3	64-4	64-4
Pennsylvania R.R.	58-2	58	58-2
Pere Marquette	120-2	120-2	120-2
Phillips Pete	57-7	57-2	57-2
Pierce Arrow	21	20-3	20-4
Producers & Ref.	18-3	18-3	18-3
Pullman Co.	185	184-4	184-4
Pure Oil	29-5	29-1	29-1
Radio	50	49-4	49-4
Ray Cons	15-2	15-2	15-2
Reading	101	100	101
Rep. Iron & Steel	61-6	61-4	61-6
Royal Dutch	51-2	51-2	51-2
Savage Arms	69	69	69
Schultz	48-4	48	48
Sears, Roebuck	51-6	51-4	51-4
Shell-Union	30-5	30-4	30-4
Sinclair Cons.	22-3	21-7	22-1
Sloss Sheffield	125	124-4	124-4
Southern Pac.	109-6	109	109-4
Southern Railway	124-7	124-7	124-7
Standard Gas	55-4	55	55-2
Standard Oil Cal.	60-3	60	60-2
Standard Oil, N.J.	39-5	39-3	39-5
Standard Oil, N.Y.	34	33-7	34
Standard Oil, Ind.	72-2	72-1	72-1
Stewart Warner	66-2	65-3	65-3
St. Louis & S. Fran.	105-3	104-6	104-6
Stromburg Carb	50	50	50
Studebaker	54-5	53-7	52-7
Stutz Motor	17-3	16-2	16-4
Tennessee Copper	12-6	12-5	12-5
Texas Company	57-2	57	57-2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	51-7	51-3	51-7
Texas Pacific R.R.	57-2	57	57-2
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	16-2	16-2	16-2
Timken Roller	90-2	87	89-4
Tobacco Prod.	109-3	109-3	109-3
Tobacco Prod. A.	116-3	116-3	116-3
Transcont. Oil	4-6	4-4	4-6
Union C'e & C'n	102-4	101-1	101-1
Union Oil of Calif.	55	54-4	55
Union Pacific	163-5	162-4	163-4
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	220-4	217-4	218
U.S. Ind. Alco	82-2	81-2	82-1
U.S. Rubber	60-5	60-5	60-5
U.S. Steel	157-4	156-4	157
Universal Pipe	30-6	30-2	30-2
Vanadium	37-6	37-6	37-6
Wabash	45-2	45	45
Western Pacific	30-2	30-2	30-2

To-day's Mining Markets

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Although about 17,000 shares of stock went through on the floor of the Victoria exchange this morning, all Dunwell sales were put through off the exchange. One house alone put through 6,200 shares of Dunwell privately over its counters and had out a bid for 3,000 shares more.

Premier sold up to 196 in Vancouver this morning and Independence up to 12½.

Benny O. Erickson, one of the discoverers of the Premier mine, is over from Seattle and was on the local market this morning. He said that he was surprised to find the low price at which stocks were being traded in on the Victoria exchange "Present prices will seem ridiculously cheap within a short time," he said. "Remember what happened when the Northern Ontario mining issues began to climb. Some are so high now they cannot be reached by the ordinary man."

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B. C. Silver	1.55	1.65
Dunwell Mines	1.36	1.40
Glacier Creek	.10½	.12
Gladstone	.28	.30
Goldsmith	.16½	.17½
Gleaner		
Howe Sound	39.00	42.50
Independence Gold	.09	.11
Indian Mines	.04	.06
International Coal	.13	.17
L. and L. Glacier	..	.08
Leadsmith	..	.07½
Lucky Jim	.16¾	.18
Marmot Metals	.10	.12½
National Silver, G.S.	..	.21
Porter Idaho	.14½	.15½
Premier Gold	1.92	1.96
Richmond	.15½	.17
Russell Creek	..	.30
Ruth Hope	..	.35
Selkirks	..	.03
Silverado	.35	.50
Silvercrest	.06¼	.08
Silversmith	.29	.35
Terminus	..	.10
Victoria	..	.10
Oils—		
B.C. Montana	..	.003-16
Miscellaneous—		
Local Curb Stocks—		
Malaspina	..	.11
Silverledge	.01	.04
Rufus	.05	
Toric Mines	..	3.75
Coast Copper	5.30	6.25

Sales

1,000 Goldsmith	.18
1,000 Goldsmith	.18
3,000 Premier	1.94
1,000 Richmond	.16
1,000 Richmond	.16
5,000 Richmond	.15½
4,000 Silvercrest	.07
200 Silvercrest	.07
700 Premier	1.94

VANCOUVER STOCK MARKET
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.58	1.65
Bayview	.04	.06
Daly Alaska	..	.20
Dunwell	1.38	1.42
Glacier	.11¾	.12½
Gladstone	.28	.30
Hazelton	..	.00¾
Howe Sound	39.00	41.00
Indian	.05	.05½
International Coal	.15	.18
Lucky Jim	.16½	.17½
National Silver	.15½	.17
Premier	1.93	1.96
Ruth Hope	.28½	.31
Silver Crest	.06	.08
Silversmith	.30½	
B.C. Montana	.00 -16	.00¼
Porter Idaho	.14½	.15½
Independence	.12½	.13

SALES AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Jan. 20 — Sales this morning on the Vancouver Stock Exchange: 100 Dunwell at 140; 200 Porter Idaho at 14¾; 900 at 15. 250 Premier at 194; 400 at 195; 400 at 196. 5 B. C. Elec. at 103.49; 5 at 103.51. 1,200 Independence at 12; 1,500 at 12¼; 2,500 at 12½. 500 Indian at 5. 200 Glacier at 11½.

Wednesday Afternoon Sales:—2000 Independence at 11¾; 2,000 at 12; 1,000 at 12½; 1,000 at 12¼; 2,000 at 12¾; 3,00 at 12½; 500 British Peroleum at 12; 4,500 at 12¼; 500 at 12½; 2,000 Porter-Idaho at 15; 1,000 at 15¼; 50,000 B. C. Montana at ⅛; 500 National Silver at 16½; 200 Glacier at 12; 500 Silversmith at 30; 500 Dunwell at 1⅜.

TORONTO MINES
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	158	..
Argonaut	49	..
Baldwin	3¼	..
Barry	90	..
West Dome	14½	..
Dome	975	..
Goldale	26½	27
Hunton	31	33
Hollinger	2050	..
Kirkland Lake	92	93
Lakeshore	1815	..

McIntyre	2550	2560
Noranda	2140	..
Premier	185	190
Teck Hughes	625	650
Vickers	130	132
Vipond	161	..
Wright Hargreaves	950	..
Night Hawk	4¾	5
Castle	106	..
Crown Reserve	8½	..
Keeley	151	152
McKinley	14¾	..
Mining Corporation	330	..
Nipissing	855	..
Area	67	..
Duprat	22	..
Buckingham	8	..

SPOKANE STOCK EXCHANGE
(Supplied by R. F. Castle & Company)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	.09½	.10
Ambergris	.06	.09½
Caledonia	.07¾	.09½
Callahan	2.20	2.50
Gladstone	.27½	.29
Goldsmith	.18	.19
Hecla	14.50	15.25
Leadsmith	.07¼	.08¼
Lucky Jim	.16¾	.17¾
Premier Gold	1.90	2.00
Richmond	.14¾	.15¼
Sherman Lead	.12½	.15
Silversmith	.30½	.34
Stratton	.36	.42
Sunshine	.41½	..
Tamarack	.42½	.44½
Western Union	.01¾	.02

Montreal Stocks

Montreal, Jan. 20 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct wire).—Morning letter: Brazilian occupied its usual place as a leader and gave a buoyant display. From a source in close touch with the affairs of the company it is understood that for the year 1926 the company will report earnings equal to 10¼ per cent on the common, this after the deduction of charges including about $5,000,000 for depreciation and sinking fund.

It is also pointed out that during the past twelve years over $80,000,000 has been put back into plant out of the earnings. After being dorman for some time the Asbestos issues came to life in yesterday's trading.

There were no news developments to account for this revival of interest. It was stated yesterday that the warrants issued with the company's six per cent first mortageg bonds entitling the holder to purchase five shares of no par sale common at $25 per share the rights to exercise prior to January, 1927. This should have read January, 1931.

Montreal, Jan. 20 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wire)—Noon letter—Buying for London account was again an important factor in the activity and strength shown by Brazilian Traction to-day. A steady demand for the stock has developed from overseas during the past few days and it is said to be based on the feeling that on a six per cent. dividend basis it represents a good investment purchase.

It is stated that orders from London accounted for about fifty per cent. of the buying that took place during the forenoon session on the local exchange. The stock opened ⅛ higher at 108, touched a new high for 1927 at 108¾ and closed at 108⅛, a net gain of ⅝. B.C. Fishing again showed irregularity, it opened half better at 74½, dropped to 73½, then recovered to 74¼.

shown.

Abitibi	85
Asbestos	84
Do. Pfd.	29-3
Atlantic Sugar	140
Bell Telephone	108-3
B.C. Fish and Pack.	75
Brompton Paper	33-4
Can. Cement, com.	132
Do. Pfd.	119
Can. Car. Fdry., com.	49-6
Do. Pfd.	92
Can. S.S., com.	37-6
Do. Pfd.	83-6
Can. Cotton	120
Can. Converters	101-2
Can. Ind. Alcohol	22-3
Cons. M. and S.	247
Dom. Bridge	118-4
Dom. Glass	106
Dom. Textile	108-4
Howard Smith	62
Lake of Woods Mlg.	152
Laurentide Company	105-4
Mackay Company	121-2
Montreal Power	69
National Breweries	65-4
Ontario Steel	75-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Company	207
Ottawa Power	99-4
Penmans Limited	182
Shawinigan	265-4
Spanish River Pulp	101
Do. Pfd.	114-4
Steel of Can.	119-6
West. Grocers, Pfd.	75
Twin City Elec.	64-4
Winnipeg Elec.	64-4

TO-DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—Our agent is of the opinion that to-day's official Argentine wheat estimate is very conservative. He says generally the yield this year is very high and the crop in the Pampa recuperated immensely about harvest time. Using 30,000,000 bushels as home requirements, exportable surplus would be around 144,000,000 bushels. Our agent thinks this figure too small and that it will aggregate 166,000,000 bushels without including carry over of 1926, which is generally reckoned at 30,000,000 bushels of inferior quality wheat.

Winnipeg, Jan 20.—Reports of export trade in wheat and barley created a firm tone in the trading pit of the grain market here to-day, and at the close fractional gains ruled. Wheat closed ⅜ to ⅝ higher, May, 136⅛; July, 134⅝, and October, 125⅝.

The opening was weak, but the early buying by exporters and seaboard interests against sales at seaboard brought about a new upward movement which held until the close. Good sales of Manitobas at seaboard were reported overnight.

An excellent demand existed for barley and sharp price advancements were recorded, while a firm undertone prevailed in other coarse grains.

Fair trade was reported in flax at higher values, but supplies are firmly held. Premiums advanced fractionally. Cash barley was in excellent demand with France and Germany taking good qualities.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	135	136¼	134⅞	136⅛
July	133⅜	134⅞	133⅜	134⅝
Oct.	125⅞	126⅝	125⅝	126⅝
Oats—				
May	58⅝	59¼	58⅝	59⅛
July	56⅝	57¼	56⅝	57⅛
July	56⅝	57¼	56⅝	57⅛
Oct.	51⅞	52¼	51⅞	52¼
Barley—				
May	71⅝	74	71⅛	74
July	70	71⅝	70	71⅛
Flax—				
May	195¼	197⅝	195¼	197½
July	197⅜	199⅝	197⅜	199½
Oct.	..	..	..	200
Rye—				
May	101	102⅜	101	102⅜
July	100	100⅜	100	100½

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 136⅝; 2 Nor., 131⅝; 3 Nor., 122⅝; No. 4, 115; No. 5, 103⅛; No. 6, 89⅛; feed, 83⅛; track, 135⅛; screenings, $3.

Oats—2 C.W., 58⅛; 3 C.W., 52⅝; extra 1 feed, 51⅛; 1 feed, 51⅛; 2 feed, 47⅛; rejected, 45⅝; track, 59⅛.

Barley—3 C.W., 70⅛; 4 C.W., 69⅝; rejected, 66; feed, 65; track, 70⅛.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 190⅝; 2 C.W., 186⅝; 3 C.W., 164½; rejected, 159½; track, 191.

Rye—2 C.W., 97⅝.

Chicago, Jan. 20 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct pit wire).—Wheat was lower early in sympathy with foreign markets and on the bearish construction placed on the Argentine Government crop, estimate. An oversold condition developed on the decline and a rally followed, with locals who had been the sellers of bids forced to take in their hedges later.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	139-2	140-5	139-1	140-2
July	130-4	131-2	130-2	131-2
Sept.	127-4	128-2	127-2	128
Corn—				
May	81-4	81-6	81-2	81-4
July	84-5	84-7	84-4	84-7
Sept.	86-5	86-7	86-5	86-6
Oats—				
May	48-6	49-1	48-6	49
July	48	48-2	48	48-1
Rye—				
May	103	104-7	103	104-5
July	99-5	100-6	99-5	100-6

INDEMNITIES FOR FRIDAY
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

Chicago

	Bids	Offers
Wheat—		
May	139⅝	141⅛
July	130⅝	131⅝
Corn—		
May	81	81⅝

Winnipeg

Wheat—		
May	135½	136⅝
July	134	135⅛

Liverpool Prices

Open: ⅝ and ⅝ lower—March, 10-4⅝; May, 10-3; July, 10-2⅝.

Close: ⅛ lower—March, 10-4⅞; May, 10-1⅞; July, 10-2¼.

Chicago Cash

Wheat—2 R., 138⅝; 2 M., 135.

Corn, 3 M., 74; 2 Y., 79½; 3 Y., 78⅛; 4 Y., 76⅛.

Oats, 3 W., 50¼; 3 W., 44⅛ and 48.

VANCOUVER GRAIN

Vancouver, Jan. 20.—Closing wheat quotations: Spot and en route—1 Nor. 138 1-8, 2 Nor. 136 1-8, 3 Nor. 126 5-8; No. 4 wheat 115 1-8, No. 5 106 5-8, No. 6, 98 1-8; feed 81 1-8; screenings $10.50 per ton.

CALGARY OILS
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Advance	.42½	..
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.25	.27
Black Diamond	.32½	..
British Dominion	.45	..
Cherokee	.19	..
Cooper	.36	..
Dalhousie	2.45	2.60
Midwest	.60	..
Turner Valley	.47	..
Illinois Alberta	.80	.95
McDougal Segur, new	1.20	..
McDougal, Ex.	1.50	..
McLeod	4.25	4.50
Mill City	.40	.60
Royalite	32.00	33.00
United	1.20	..
Vulcan	3.80	4.00

METAL MARKET

New York, Jan. 20—Copper dull; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13.37 asked.

Tin, firmer, spot and nearby, 66.62; March, 66.12.

Iron, quiet and unchanged.

Lead, easy, spot, 7.50.

Zinc, steady, East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6.55 and 6.60.

Antimony, spot, 14.50.

London, Jan. 20—Standard copper, spot, £55, 12s, 6d; futures, £56, 7s, 6d.

Electrolytic, spot, £62, 12s, 6d; futures, £62, 15s.

Tin, spot, £299, 12s, 6d; futures, £295, 2s, 6d.

Lead, spot, £27, 10s; futures, £27, 15s.

Zinc, spot, £30, 15s; futures, £30, 12s, 6d.

SUGAR

New York, Jan. 20—The raw sugar market was firmer early to-day, prices advancing 1-16 of a cent to the basis of 5.02 duty paid. Sales at the quoted prices were 40,000 bags of Porto Rican, for late January shipment and 25,000 bags of Cuban for prompt shipment.

The refined sugar market was unchanged at 6.05 to 6.35 for fine granulated, but only moderate inquiry was reported.

Retail Market

Revised January 19

Vegetables

Beets, 3 bunches for	.10
Celery, stick	.15
Potatoes, local, sack	1.65 and 1.95
Ashcroft Potatoes, sack	[illegible]
Netted Gem, sack	2.25
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs.	[illegible]
Cucumbers	.05 and .10
Red Peppers, per lb.	.30
Cauliflower	.10, .15 and .25
Spanish Onions, 2 lbs.	.25
Leeks bunch	.05
Cranberries, lb.	.35
Green Peas, lb.	.25
Artichokes, Globe, each	.20

Fruit

Apples, Okanagan—	
McIntosh Reds, 3 lbs.	.25
Winter Bananas, lb.	.10
Jonathan, box	2.00
Delicious, box	2.25
Wagner, box	2.25
Northern Spy, box	2.90
Snow, box	2.7[illegible]
Texas Grapefruit, each	.15
Florida Grapefruit, each	.25 and [illegible]
Bananas, dozen	.40 and .50
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.30, .35 and .45
Grapefruit, California, 2 for	.25
New Oranges, dozen	.30, .40, .50
Dates, 2 lbs.	.25
Local Pears, 5 lbs.	.25
Tokay Grapes, lb.	.25
Prunes, Okanagan, box	.90
Pumpkin, lb.	.04
Squash, Hubbard	.04
New California Figs, pkt. .10, .15; lb.	.25
New Smyrna Figs, lb.	.40
Spanish Cluster Raisins, box	.50
California Cluster Raisins, box	.30
Japanese Oranges, box	.85
Cocoanuts, each	.20
Rhubarb, lb.	.20

Nuts

Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, new, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.30
Local Filberts, per lb.	.30

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Butter—	
Alberta solids, lb.	.50
Best Alberta cartons	.52
Comox, lb.	.55
V.I.M.P.A.	.58
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.55
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.58
Handipats, lb.	.55
Our Own	.56
New Zealand, bulk	.52
New Zealand, prints	.55
Pure Lard, lb.	.21
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.46
B.C. fresh, first	.44
Pullets, extras	.42

Cheese

B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.45
B.C. Solids, lb.	.30
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb.	.28
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb.	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.40
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.55
Swiss Gruyere, box	.55
English Stilton, jar	.90
English Stilton, lb.	.65
English Stilton, lb.	.85
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.65
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.55
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75
Kraft, lb.	.25
Golden Loaf	.38

Fish

Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, per lb.	.30
Fresh Halibut, per lb.	.30
Soles, lb.	.15
Black Cod, fresh, per lb.	.25
Skate, per lb.	.12½
Cod, per lb.	.27
Kippers, per lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.	.20
Smoked Black Cod, per lb.	.25
Whiting	.1[illegible]
Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	.25
White Spring Salmon, per lb.	.28
Smoked Salmon, per lb.	.40
Fresh Hake, per lb.	.10
Smoked Hake, per lb.	.15

Shell Fish

Crabs	.15, .20 to .25
Shrimps, per lb.	.30
Esquimalt Oysters, per dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, per pint	.90

Fresh Meats

Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.40
Legs, per lb.	.30
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.30
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Round Steak, per lb.	.35
Pot Roasts, per lb.	.22 and .26
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.35
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.28
Legs, per lb.	.40
Loins, full, per lb.	.42
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.35

Hams and Bacon

Ham, lb.	.35 to .50
Bacon, lb.	.40 to .62

Flour

Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.60
Flour, pastry, 49s	2.45

Feed

	Per ton	Per sack
Wheat, No. 1	$54.00	$2.80
Wheat, No. 2	50.00	2.60
Scratch	50.00	2.60
Whole Barley	42.00	2.20
Whole Corn	50.00	2.60
Cracked Corn	52.00	2.70
Feed Cornmeal	52.00	2.70
Whole Oats	44.00	2.80
Shorts	34.00	1.90
Ground Oats	46.00	2.40
Crushed Oats	46.00	2.40

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

New York, Jan. 20. — Foreign exchanges irregular. Quotations in cents:

Great Britain—Demand 485, cables 485 7-16, 60-day bills on banks 481 5-16.

France — Demand 3.96¾, cables 3.97¼.

Italy—Demand 4.32, cables 4.32½.

Belgium—Demand 13.89.

Germany—Demand 23.71.

Holland—Demand 39.94.

Norway—Demand 25.47.

Sweden—Demand 26.67.

Denmark—Demand 26.64.

Switzerland—Demand 19.26.

Spain—Demand 16.16.

Greece—Demand 1.32.

Poland—Demand .1175.

Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96.

Jugoslavia—Demand 1.76.

Austria—Demand .1412½.

Roumania—Demand .53½.

Argentina—Demand 41.31¼.

Brazil—Demand 11.75.

Tokio—Demand 48.75.

Shanghai—Demand 62.81¼.

Montreal—Demand 99.84¾.

MONEY MARKET

New York, Jan. 20. — Call money easier, high 4¼, low 4, ruling rate 4¼, closing bid 4.

Time loans steady, mixed collateral 60-90 days 4¼, 4-6 months 4½.

Prime mercantile paper 4¼.

BANK CLEARINGS

Victoria bank clearings for the week ending to-day total $1,865,989. For the corresponding week of last year they were $2,025,073.

SILVER

London, Jan. 20—Bar silver, 26¼d per ounce. Money, 3⅝ per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 4¼ per cent; three months' bills, 4 and 4 1-16 per cent.

New York, Jan. 20—Bar silver, 56⅛; Mexican dollars, 43.

NEW ISSUE

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Bank of Commerce Ships Gold to N.Y.

New York, Jan. 20.—The Canadian Bank of Commerce yesterday received a consignment of $4,000,000 in gold from Canada. This brings a total of $20,000,000 shipped from Canada to the United States during the last two weeks. The movement is looked upon as unusual at this season of the year.

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNPAID MONEYS ACT, 1924

AND

IN THE MATTER OF THE B.C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

Unclaimed Security Deposits in the Hands of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited, at 31st December, 1926.

Aitken, G. G., 1636 Amphion St.	$3.00
Andrew, W. H. 481 Dockyard Rd.	1.28
Andrews, Rev. G. H., 1663 Elgin Road	3.00
Atkinson, T., 1023 View St.	3.00
Baker, O. J., 2537 Forbes St.	3.00
Barker, Wm., 929 North Park St.	3.00
Barry, H., Third St., Sidney	3.00
Bassett, G., 1489 Fort St.	3.00
Bing, E. L., 3570 Calumet Ave.	3.00
Bowcroft, J., Beacon Ave., Sidney	3.00
Cameron, Albert, E. Saanich Rd.	3.00
Campbell, J., 3438 Orchard Way	1.82
Chisholm, D., 1766 Second St.	3.00
Chong Chee, 545 Johnson St.	10.00
Christie, J., 3, 425 Michigan St.	3.00
Clauser, S., 845 Fisgard St.	3.00
Clark, F., 562 Johnson St.	5.00
Colpman, W. L., 719 Fort St.	5.00
Comox Market (Muckle), 626 Yates St.	4.89
Collins, Capt. John, 1023 Oliphant St.	3.00
Cook, F., 1144 Cook St.	3.00
Dickinson, W. G., Sidney	10.00
Drysdale, G., Ltd., Douglas St.	5.00
Draper, N. C., 1410 Hillside Ave.	3.00
Elton, B., 1419 Harrison St.	1.48
Foo Gee, 565 Fisgard St.	5.00
Foote, Mrs. B., 1438 Vining St.	1.38
Forster, H. E., 363 Robertson St.	5.00
Franco-Canadian Corp., Belmont Building	6.00
Franks, L. A., 303 Mt. Douglas Apts.	.85
Frumento, Mrs., Suite 4, 442 Superior St.	1.19
Frederico, P., Jordan River	3.00
Gafford, W. H., 2094 Brighon Ave.	1.46
Ganda Singh, Beacon Ave., Sidney	3.00
Gardner, G., 141 Robertson St.	3.00
Garner, Dr. E. L., 997 Wilmer St.	3.00
Gibson, E. F., 724 Yates St.	3.00
Glen, D. K., 1743 Pembroke St.	3.00
Grath, E. L., 2518 Bridge St.	3.00
Hall, Edwin, 3444 Whittier Ave.	1.10
Halliday, W. H., Jordan River	3.00
Hare, F. H., Verdier Ave.	3.00
Hayward, D. G., 2nd St., Sidney	3.00
Hill, N. S., 18 Cook and Balmoral Sts.	3.00
Hollands, A., 5th St., Sidney	3.00
Horn, W., 207 Dundas St.	1.30
Hudson, J. B., 1175 Yates St.	1.82
Hudson, Miss E., 4, 2215 Oak Bay Ave.	3.00
Hynds, J., 2073 Millgrove St.	1.95
Inghram, Mrs. S., 1904 Davie St.	3.00
Irving, T., 2022 Douglas St.	10.00
Jewell, Mrs. L., 205 Woolworth Building	3.00
Kube, H., 543 Johnson St.	2.27
Koyuki, O., Queens Ave., Sidney	3.00
Lang, D., Marigold	3.00
Launchbury, H. W., 2627 Victor St.	3.00
Lee Fan, Republic Club	10.00
Lee Lou, 751 Pandora Ave.	5.00
Leslie Judge Co., 1122 Gov. St.	3.00
Lees, C., 826 Pandora Ave.	1.41
Lung Yick, Wharf St.	5.00
Maloan, C. W., 778 Hill St.	3.00
Mansell, J. H., 650 Johnson St.	5.00
Manson, A., 1055 Mears St.	.10
Mill, Mrs. R. T., 2531 Pleasant St.	3.00
Maxwell, J. H., 739 Kings Rd.	3.00
Moore, W. M., Suite 2, 1004 Queens Ave.	3.00
McDonald, Mrs. D., 465 Quebec St.	1.23
McDonald, A., 2116 Douglas St.	3.00
McIntyre, 1407 Government St.	50.00
McFee, Jas., 1449 Mitchell St.	3.00
McKay, J., 122 Michigan St.	3.00
McMorran, Geo. S., 2626 Avebury Ave.	3.00
McMullen, G., 7th St., Sidney	3.00
Neal, C., 1042 Pandora Ave.	3.00
Neff, Myrom, 2714 Blackwood St.	3.00
Newlin, A., Empress Garage, Government and Elliott Sts.	10.00
Paine, W. H., 1112 Langley St.	1.38
Page, G. H., 151 Wellington Ave.	3.00
Parker, F. E., Fort St.	10.00
Paul, C., 955 Caledonia Ave.	1.96
Prested, H. G., 925 Johnson St.	1.55
Quinn, J., 497 Head St.	1.65
Salter, M. C., 1733 Denman St.	3.00
Sargent, F., 416 Luxton St.	1.33
Sawada, M., 1609 Cadboro Bay Rd	5.00
Shepheard, W. M. S., 1128 Leonard St.	3.00
Sinclair, W. H., 134 Menzies St.	.20
Simpson, A. B., 1768 Albert Ave.	2.66
Sleigh, G. L., 2630 Douglas St.	.05
Sloman, R., 2535 Blanshard St.	3.00
Sowery, A. V., 3009 Orilla St.	1.84
Stewart, A., 556 Alpha St.	3.00
Suey Ting, 32-33, 546 Herald St.	3.00
Sun Kar Wa, 638 Herald St.	3.00
Tucker, Ellis E. R., 323 Sunrise Ave.	3.00
Vic. Motor Cycle Club, 1216 Broad St.	1.18
Watts, A. B., 1237 Sunnyside Ave.	3.00
Weaver, J. W., 1060 Richmond Ave.	3.00
Wright, B., 2012 Runnymede Ave.	3.00

I, GEORGE MASON TRIPP, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Acting Vice-president of the British Columbia Eleectric Railway Company Limited, at Victoria, HEREBY CERTIFY that the above is a true and correct statement of all moneys received for deposit by the said Company at the City of Victoria, which have not been forfeited and in respect of which no transaction has taken place for more than two years prior to December 31, 1926, which have not yet been returned to the depositors.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 20th day of January, 1927.

G. M. TRIPP,
Acting Vice-president.

Witness: A. INGLIS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNPAID MONEYS ACT, 1924

AND

IN THE MATTER OF THE VICTORIA GAS COMPANY LIMITED

Unclaimed Security Deposits in the Hands of the Victoria Gas Company Limited, at 31st December, 1926

Berry & Hall, 643 Fort St.	3.00
Briggs, A. L., 407 Belleville St.	3.00
Christie, J., 425 Michigan St.	3.00
Dunlop, C. J., 2908 Douglas St.	3.00
Hall & Berry, 643 Fort St.	2.75
Horrocks & Jackson, 740 Yates St.	5.00
Matsumata, M., 813a Government	5.00
Morris, E., 1013 Government Street	4.05
Mither, G., 1251 Pandora Ave.	.40
Marsh, B. E., 853 Burdett Ave.	3.00
Neff, Myrom, 2714 Blackwood St.	3.00
Palmer, W., 919 Vancouver St.	3.00
Reiss, H., 750 Pemberton Rd.	2.75
Sweeney, T. A., 4 Cook St.	3.00

I, GEORGE MASON TRIPP, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Acting Vice-president of the Victoria Gas Company Limited, at Victoria, British Columbia, HEREBY CERTIFY that the above is a true and correct statement of all moneys received for deposit by the said Company at the City of Victoria, which have not been forfeited and in respect of which no transaction has taken place for more than two years prior to December 31, 1926, which have not yet been returned to the depositors.

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Wholesale Market

Revised January 19

Meats

No. 1 Steer Beef	.13½
Cow Beef	.12
Veal	.15 to .20
Lamb	.27
Mutton	.20
Hogs	.20

Poultry

Fowls	.26 to .32
Chicken	.35 and .37

Eggs

Fresh extras, case lots, dozen	.38
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen	.36
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen	.34

Butter

Best cartons	.47
No. 2 grade	.44
Solids, creamery	.45

Cheese

Ontario solids, lb.	.22
Ont. solids, Sept.	.23
Ontario twins, lb.	.22½
Ontario triplets, lb.	.23
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.29
Alberta solids, lb.	.21
Alberta twins, lb.	.21¼
Alberta triplets, lb.	.21¼
Alberta Stiltons, lb.	.26

Lard

Tierces	.17¼
Other sizes	.18¼ to .20
Compound, tierces, lb.	.14½
Other compounds	.15¼ to .17

Hams and Bacon

Ham	.32 to .35
Bacon	.35 to 43

Vegetables

Calif. Head Lettuce, per crt.	4.25	4.75
Rhubarb, hothouse, lb.		.15
Beets, sack		1.25
Cabage, lb.	.04½	.05½
Cauliflower, Calif., crt.	2.75	3.25
Celery, California		7.25
Celery, per dozen		1.75
Onions, imported, per sack		3.90
Onions, Okanagan		2.25
Potatoes, per sack	1.30 to	1.45
Carrots, per sack		1.35
Sweet Potatoes	.05½ to	.06
Spinach, Calif., crt.		4.50
Turnips, per sack		[illegible]
Mexican Tomatoes,		7.00
Parsnips, per sack		[illegible]

Fruits

	Extra Fancy	Fancy
Apples—Okanagan—		
Newtons	$2.25	$2.50
McIntosh Reds	2.10	2.25
Spitzenberg	2.25	2.50
Jonathon	2.00	..
Delicious	...	2.60
Wagner	2.00	2.25
Winter Banana	...	2.25
Romes	...	2.50
New York Wines, bulk		1.25
Bananas, crated		.11
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Grapes, Red Emperor		4.50
Grapefruit, Calif		5.50
Grapefruit, Imperial Valley		6.50
Grapefruit, Florida	5.50 to	7.45
Lemons	4.75 to	5.75
Pears, local		M.P.
Oranges, Navels	5.25 to	6.00

VICTORY BONDS

VICTORIA PRICES

	Buy Per $100	Sell Per $100
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927 1st June and Dec.	100.95	101.1[illegible]
1933 1st May and Nov.	104.70	104.9[illegible]
1937 1st June and Dec.	107.60	107.8[illegible]
War Loan, 5%		
1931 1st April and Oct.	101.40	101.6[illegible]
1937 1st Mar. and Sept.	103.65	103.8[illegible]
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927 1st May and Nov.	100.40	100.6[illegible]
1932 1st May and Nov.	102.60	102.8[illegible]
1934 1st May and Nov.	103.60	103.8[illegible]
Dominion Loan		
1928 15th April and Oct.	100.65	100.8[illegible]
1943 15th April and Oct.	102.65	102.8[illegible]
1940 1st March and Sept.	97.65	97.8[illegible]
1944 15th April and Oct.	97.65	97.9[illegible]
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After a moment he said painfully:

"Would you like me to go?"

And she answered, sobbing:

"Yes, if you want to."

He walked to the door without another word and opened it, but before he had taken two steps along the narrow passage she followed him.

"Nicholas!"

Gaunt turned swiftly and held out his arms.

There were many kisses then and tears and whispered words.

"Why did you cry?" he asked, and she shook her head.

"I don't know. I was just silly."

But he knew why, and so did Jennifer.

"We're going to be so happy," he insisted. "The best of pals, real friends who trust one another completely."

"Friends don't make love," she said again, half laughing, half crying.

"Well, after to-night we'll just shake hands when we meet and say goodbye," he teased her.

But they kissed many times before Jennifer finally shut the door on his tall figure, and she was crying again as she went back to the little sitting-room, which now seemed so much more lonely and empty than ever before.

Nicholas had gone, and she did not know where.

All she would ever know of his life would be the little time of it which she spent with her. The rest would always be a sealed book, closed with the shutting of her own door against him.

He might say they belonged to one another, but Jennifer knew that he could never be wholly hers while the figure of his wife remained between them.

But after the first storm of emotion, Jennifer found much happiness in her renewed friendship with Nicholas Gaunt.

She would not allow him to come to her flat again, but they met often.

In the Summer evenings he took her for long runs in his car, or down to the river.

Sometimes they stayed out to supper at a wayside inn and came home late through the dew-refreshed night; sometimes they left the car and went for long walks through lanes and fields. Once they went to Rumpelmeyer's, and sat at the same table where they had first had tea together five years before. Little by little Nicholas told her a great deal about himself. She discovered that he was a very rich man, and that he had a big house in Chelsea and a villa at Cap Martin.

She knew that his wife was pleasure-loving and extravagant and that she disliked children.

Jennifer never quite knew how she gained so much information about Lady Edith, for her name was never mentioned between them after that first night, and yet she often obtruded into their conversation and cast a cloud over their happiness.

Nicholas seemed to grow younger. "When I'm with you I feel only a boy," he said once and laughed, with his handsome eyes on her face. "Jennifer, you must admit that our friendship is a splendid success."

"Yes," she agreed quietly.

"And you are quite happy?" he insisted. "As happy as I am?"

She said "yes" again, just to please him, but her heart was full of restlessness, and always as soon as he left her the new torturing jealousy awoke. What did he do when was not with her? Who were his friends? She would lie awake at night tormenting herself, and trying in vain to pierce the future. Was this all she could ever hope for? And how would it end?

CHAPTER X

Sometimes Jennifer wished with all her heart that they had never met again, and sometimes she told herself passionately that if he left her now she would not go on living.

There had been no more kisses. Nicholas kept faithfully to his promise of friendship, and often Jennifer felt that she hated him because of the coolness with which he greeted her when they met.

"I don't believe he really loves me," she thought bitterly, and then somtimes she would surprise a little flame in his eyes when they met her own that would set her heart leaping with joy. But they were living on the edge of a mine, though perhaps only Nicholas realized it. After the first week or two Jennifer found herself beginning to lose interest in her work at the office, and once or twice she found Mr. Gurney looking at her with a puzzled expression in his eyes.

"Aren't you well, Miss Fry?" he asked in concern one morning when she had made several bad mistakes in his letters; and at the kindliness in his voice the ready tears started to Jennifer's eyes.

"I'm quite well, thank you," she stammered. "Why do you ask?"

"You look pale," Mr. Gurney apologized.

"I'm quite well," Jennifer insisted, and the subject dropped.

But in the morning Mr. Gurney broached it again.

"What about holidays this Summer, Miss Fry? It's nearly the end of July. You ought to be arranging something!"

Jennifer said quite truthfully that she had not given the matter a thought.

She knew Nicholas was later on probably going for a sea-trip with some friends, and she had intended postponing her holiday till then. She felt she could not leave London while he was there.

"Why not go next week?" Mr. Gurney urged. "The weather's good now, and business is slack. I can manage to spare you for a week or two."

"You're very kind," Jennifer said, but her heart sank. She did not want any holidays—what enjoyment could she hope to find in them without Nicholas?

But when she saw him that evening she told him she was taking fortnight's holiday from the following Monday.

They were dining in a quiet Soho restaurant, and though she still wore her dark office frock, Gaunt was in evening dress. He had apologized for it, saying he was "going on somewhere later."

Jennifer's heart contracted. How she hated that "going on."

She knew it meant many pretty women, and lovely frocks, and all the things in his life from which she was debarred and she kept her eyes lowered to hide their pain.

"Where are you thinking of going for a holiday?" Nicholas asked, after a moment, and she answered indifferently:

"I don't know. I went to Cornwall last year."

There was a little silence, which he broke.

"You're not going alone, are you?"

She looked up quickly, flushing a little.

"I always go alone."

Gaunt toyed with the matchstand before him; there was a frown between his eyes.

"It can't be much of a holiday alone," he said abruptly.

Jennifer laughed. "I'm used to it."

Gaunt looked away from her, down the room.

"Edith goes to Venice to-morrow," he said suddenly. It was the first time for weeks that he had spoken her name, and the hot blood rushed in a tide to Jennifer's pale face, even while in her heart she was dumbly grateful to him for having said "Edith" and not "my wife."

"Oh, is she?" she said with an effort. "And you'll be starting on that yachting trip soon, won't you?"

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Cup of Tea

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(By Howard R. Garis)

"Are you going to be in the bungalow very long?" asked Mrs. Longears of her husband one afternoon.

"What do you mean?" asked Uncle Wiggily, sort of twiddling one ear at his wife. "Do you want to get rid of me?"

"Oh, not at all!" answered the rabbit lady with a laugh. "But Nurse Jane and I are going to the movies, and as the children are at school the bungalow will be all alone if you go out. I just wanted you to be sure and lock the door."

"I will," promised the rabbit gentleman. "I won't be going out for a little while yet, however," he told his wife as she and the muskrat lady housekeeper hurried off to the movies. "I want to think of where will be a good place to go and look for adventures," he said to himself, sitting down in a chair near a window, where he waved his paw to his wife as she turned the corner of the path.

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"Come right in! Im so glad you called!"

"Adventures are getting scarce," said the bunny gentleman to himself as he walked around the kitchen. "I don't want to waste my time looking for them in places where there aren't any. I must think where will be a good place to go before I start out."

Then he happened to see the teakettle on the back of the stove. He looked from that to the pantry where the tea caddy stood and then, in turn, Mr. Longears saw a tea cup and saucer, the pitcher of cream and the bowl of sugar.

"I'll make myself a cup of tea before I go adventuring," said Uncle Wiggily. "It will keep me warm, for it is a cold day."

Filling the kettle with water, Uncle Wiggily set it on the front of the stove to boil, and while waiting for it to begin singing, as all kettles do, the bunny went to the window to look out and see if it was snowing. Well, no white flakes were coming down, but Uncle Wiggily saw, coming toward his bungalow, from the North, the Fuzzy Fox.

"Oh dear!" whispered the bunny "that's bad luck!" Then he saw coming from the south, the Woozie Wolf. "More bad luck!" sighed Mr. Longears. Looking from another window he saw skiddering along, the Bob Cat, coming from the west, while from the east came the Bushy Bear.

"All the bad chaps are coming for me at once!" sighed the bunny. "There is no way to escape, for there are only four ways out of my bungalow, and the Bad Chaps are coming from all four directions. What shall I do?"

Just then the kettle began to boil and it seemed to sing:

"Ha! Ha! Ha! Tee! Hee! Hee! Invite them in and make them tea!"

"That's just what I'll do!" said Uncle Wiggily. "I'll surprise the Fox, Wolf, Bob Cat and Bear! I'll astonish them!"

Suddenly there came a tap on the north door. Uncle Wiggily hopped to open it, and to the Fox on the steps the bunny said:

"Come right in! I'm so glad you called! I'm just making a cup of tea and I invite you to have some! Come in!" The Fox did not expect to be greeted this way and hardly knew what to say. But he shuffled in. Then came a knock at the south door and Uncle Wiggily opened it to the Wolf.

"Come in! Come in!" invited the rabbit. "I'm just going to make a cup of tea and—"

"I didn't come for tea!" the Wolf began. "I came for—"

"Oh, but you must have a cup of tea!" interrupted Uncle Wiggily and the Wolf was so surprised he didn't know what to say. Neither did the Bob Cat nor the Bushy Bear when they were let in. The four Bad Chaps had planned together to get the bunny, but when he opened the doors and let them in they didn't know what to think.

All of a sudden the kettle began to boil, and Uncle Wiggily exclaimed:

"Now to make the tea!" With that he took the kettle off the stove and he tipped it up so that hot water ran out of the spout and the hot water splashed on the Wolf, the Bob Cat, the Fox and the Bear. And their toes got so warm that they jumped up and down and had to run out in the snow to cool off. Oh how fast they ran!

"Aren't you going to stay and have a cup of tea?" asked the rabbit gentleman.

"No!" growled the Bear. "No!" snarled the Wolf. "No!" howled the Fox! "No! No! No!" yelped the Bob Cat, and Uncle Wiggily had to drink his tea all alone. But he was just as well pleased, I think; don't you? Anyhow, if the black lead pencil doesn't turn red when it falls into the blue ink, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Buster's lasso.

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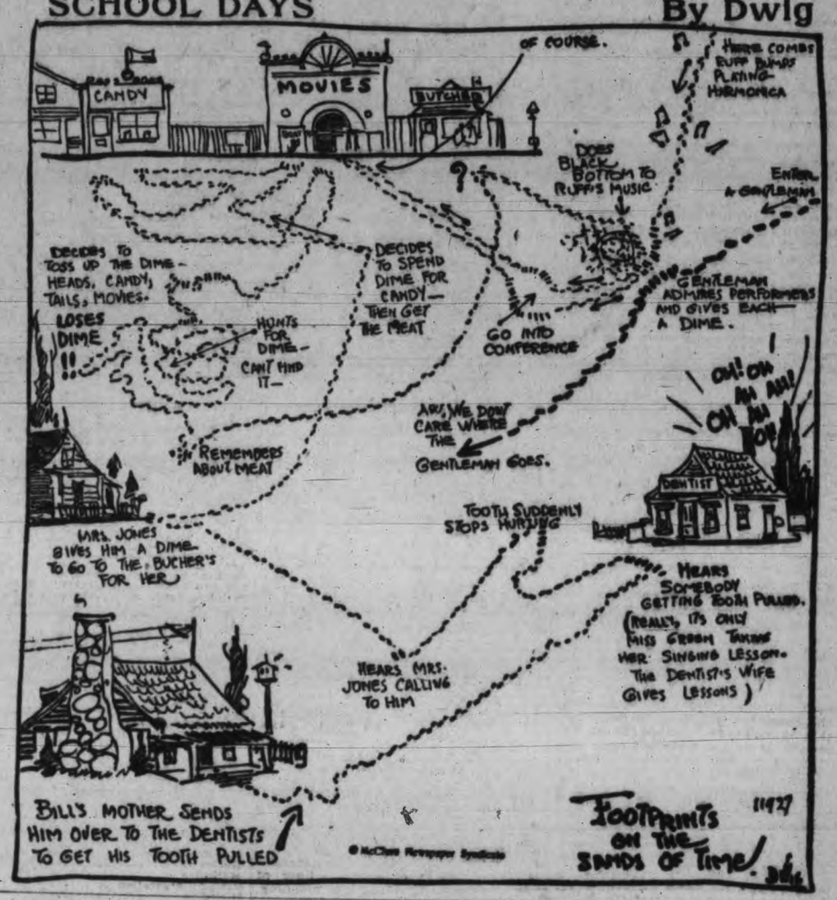

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DIED

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ROSEMERGEY—On January 19 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Henry Rosemergey, aged fifty-nine years, of 3267 Cook Street, and formerly of Catchgate, County Durham, England. Mr. Rosemergey had been a resident of Victoria for the past fifteen years and is mourned by his widow.

The funeral will take place from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Friday afternoon at 3.15 o'clock. Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., will conduct the service after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park. 842-1-17

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1927

Friendly stars dominate this day, according to astrology. Adverse aspects are slight and the rule should be stimulating and helpful.

There is a sign of much promise for physicians and surgeons who will contribute greatly to the welfare of humanity this Winter.

Hospitals and sanitariums come under a sway making for benefactions and endowments which enable them to extend the scope of their work.

Judges to-day have a good direction of the stars that appears to presage honors and leadership.

Many extraordinary legal cases will be tried in this new year, and through them outgrown laws will be revealed.

This is not an auspicious rule for women who will do well to devote their attention to their les important interests.

There may be losses to theatres within the week on account of a severe storm.

Blizzards of extraordinary ferocity will sweep over the middle west, the seers foretell, and even in Florida and California strange weather conditons will be recorded this Winter.

Neptune is in a place read as presaging upheavals of government in certain countries of Europe.

Militarism is to have a new impetus abroad and again fortunes will be made in producing implements of war.

Persistently a London astrologer prophesies for Great Britain a dictator who will wear another title and yet rule with an iron hand.

Alliance in which Germany, Austria and Russia unite is foreshadowed as one of the possibilities that interests the whole world.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a lucky year in which they will obtain contracts or leases much to their liking.

Children born on this day probably will have constructive talent which will bring them success They are likely to be industrious and reliable.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Notice to Contractors

Comox School

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for Addition to Comox School," will be received by the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, November 8, 1927, for the additions of two class-rooms to the present school house at Comox in the Comox Electoral District, B.C.

Plans, specification, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after January 24, 1927, and further information obtained at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, and at the offices of the Government Agents at Vancouver and Cumberland and J. A. Carthew, Esq., Secretary School Board, Comox, B.C.

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P. PHILIP,
Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer.

Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the Matter of Lot Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-nine (1939), Victoria City.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 17097-C to the above mentioned land in the name of Jane Franklin and bearing date the 8th day of February, 1908, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 30th day of November, 1926.

H. J. CRANE,
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Victoria Land Registration District.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

Tenders for Waterworks Fittings

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on February 14, 1927, for Waterworks Pressure Reducing Fittings. Specifications may be obtained after January 22 at the office of the Purchasing Agent to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope "Tenders for Waterworks Fittings." A market cheque for five per cent of the total amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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CFCT (329.5) Victoria, B.C.
10.30 p.m.—Stocker's Reliable Order of Night Birds.

CFDC (410.7) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Afternoon concert of music.
6.10 p.m.—Time signals.
6.30-7 p.m.—Evolution of the Home, weekly talk by the William Worral Furniture Company.
10.30-11.30 p.m.—Studio programme.

CFYC (410.7) Vancouver, B.C.
7-8.30 p.m.—Bible questions and answers; Bible talk and musical programme.

CJOR (291) Vancouver, B.C.
6-7.30 p.m.—Dinner programme.

CNRC (428.8) Calgary, Alta.
6 p.m.—Bedtime story by Aunt Mary.
8.30 p.m.—A trip to Spain, with the CNRC orchestra.

CNRV (291) Vancouver, B.C.
9 p.m.—Studio programme, presenting Murray Cameron's old-time orchestra.
10 p.m.—Mona Motor Oil Twins.

KFOA (454.3) Seattle, Wash.
4.30-5 p.m.—Times Afternoons at Home.
6.45 p.m.—Musical programme.
7.45 p.m.—Doc Proels's "Cross-eyed Trio."
8.15 p.m.—Automobile club.
8.30 p.m.—Cheasty's Philippine String Band.
9.30-10.30 p.m.—Orchestra and the Harmony Girls.

KFON (232.4) Long Beach, Cal.
4.30 p.m.—Concert orchestra.
6 p.m.—Piano recital.
6.20 p.m.—Concert orchestra and travelogue.
7 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
8 p.m.—Long Beach Municipal Band.
9 p.m.—Shell Oil Company Orchestra.
10-1 p.m.—Capitol Theatre organ.
1-12 p.m.—Majestic Ballroom orchestra.

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6 p.m.—Orchestra selections.
7.50 p.m.—news.
8 p.m.—Bill Hatch and his orchestra with soloists.
10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros.' frolic.

KFWI (250) San Francisco, Calif.
6-7.30 p.m.—Orchestra.
8-8.30 p.m.—Popular ballads.
8.30-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-11 p.m.—Orchestra.
11-12 p.m.—Paul Kelly's Trovcatore orchestra.

KGO (361.3) Oakland, Calif.
5-6 p.m.—George W. Ludlow, "A Friend to Boys."
6-6.55 p.m.—Bem's Little Symphony orchestra.
6.55-7.30 p.m.—News, weather reports, produce, grain, etc.

KGW (491.5) Portland, Ore.
8 p.m.—KGO Little Symphony Orchestra.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—Weather forecast.
7.45-8 p.m.—Lecture by the Catholic Truth Society of Oregon.
8-10 p.m.—Vaudeville entertainment.
10-12 p.m.—KGW salon orchestra.

KHJ (405.2) Los Angeles, Cal.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Children's hour.
8-10 p.m.—Zoellner quartet and Jacques Alberti, pianist.

KHQ (394.5) Spokane, Wash.
5 p.m.—Service hour.
6-7 p.m.—Davenport Hotel orchestra.
9 p.m.—Bridge lesson.
10-12 p.m.—Loomis orchestra from the Garden.

KJR (384.4) Seattle, Wash.
5.40 p.m.—Stock quotations.
6-6.30 p.m.—Time signals, weather reports.
7-7.30 p.m.—Philip Tindall.
8.30-10 p.m.—Puget Sound Savings studio programme.
10 p.m.—Time signals.
10-11 p.m.—Courtesy musical programme.

KNX (337) Hollywood, Cal.
7 p.m.—Carthy Circle Theatre organ recital.
8 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
9 p.m.—Feature programme.
10 p.m.—Woman's Club's musical programme.
11 p.m.—Cocoanut Grove orchestra.

KOIN (319) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert, concert organist.
8-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-11 p.m.—Tom Gerunovich and his orchestra.

KOWW (285) Walla Walla, Wash.
7-8 p.m.—Service hour.
8-9 p.m.—Studio courtesy programme.
10-11 p.m.—Croxdale Serenaders.
11-12 p.m.—Organ recital.

KPO (428.3) San Francisco, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—States Restaurant Orchestra.
7-7.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's orchestra.
8-9 p.m.—Musical programme.
9-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10 p.m.—Palace Hotel Rose Room dance orchestra.
11-12 p.m.—Wolohan and his Californians.

KQW (333) San Jose, Cal.
6.15-8 p.m.—Farm flashes, farmers' exchange, weather and market reports; news, mail bag and farm topics.

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CFCT (329.5) Victoria, B.C.
8-8.30 a.m.—Morning market quotations.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Oh, Well —By MARTIN

ARCTIC NATIVES TO HEAR RADIO

Boston, Mass., Jan. 20.—Station WBZ will try for the third time to penetrate the frozen north on January 22.

For three years WBZ, KYW, KFKX and KDKA have transmitted programmes for the inhabitants of lonely settlements on or beyond the Arctic rim.

The programmes are prepared a year in advance and mailed each Summer to posts of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the Hudson's Bay Company, Revillon Freres and isolated communities spread from Alaska to Greenland.

SIAM DISTRUSTS THE RADIO

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—Radio is unknown in Siam and receiving sets banned from the country by law, according to Mrs. Charles H. Crooks, missionary, visiting here.

"His Majesty, King Pracha Tipok, absolute monarch of Siam, has forbidden the use of radio for fear of Chinese bolshevik propaganda," explains Mrs. Crooks.

Hockey Results

Moose Jaw, Jan. 20.—Moose Jaw Maroons succumbed once more to the wiles of Sparrow and his Calgary Tigers in a hotly fought prairie hockey league fixture here last night. In a game that was unusually clean most of the way, Calgary outthought and outplayed the locals throughout, by a score of 6-4.

Minneapolis, Miss., Jan. 20.—A rough and tumble battle between the University of Manitoba and University of Minnesota hockey teams resulted in a 4 to 0 victory for the Canadians here to-night.

Stratford, Ont., Jan. 20.—The third invasion last night of the London Panthers into the camp of the Stratford Nationals provided an increase in the leadership of the Canadian League for the locals.

The final score was 3 to 2.

THE TINYMITES

BY HAL COCHRAN

(READ THE STORY THE N COLOR THE PICTURE)

The Eskimo the Tinies found was kind and showed them all around. He'd made real friends with Clowny, so the crowd thought him all right. The Tinies all thought Clowny lost, but into luck he had been tossed, 'cause he had met the Eskimo and stayed with him all night.

"I haven't had much fun of late," their new friend said. "And this is great to meet a bunch of little folks all set to run and play. I'll show you sights you'll say are real. Perhaps we'll find a bear or seal, if you will just be patient, 'cause they often come this way."

Some other Eskimo came out to find out what 'twas all about. They'd heard the high pitched voices of the little Tinymites. They all were friendly as could be, and Coppy said, "It seems to me that we had best get started, if we're going to see the sights."

So, down a long ice path they went. The Eskimo seemed quite intent on scaring forth a polar bear to please his little friends, who glady joined him on the hunt. Just then they heard a nearby grunt, and someone loudly shouted, "This is where our journey ends."

In just about a minute more the bear came forth amid a roar. The Eskimo ran up to him and stroked his fuzzy head. Such wondrous stunts they'd never tried. Then, "Who would like to ride this bear?" the fur boy loudly said.

"Oh, I would," same the quick reply. The Tinies all were glad to try, so Mister Polar Bear stood still while one crawled on his back. And then the bear jumped quickly out amid the very happy shout. The whole gang raced along so they could follow in his track.

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PRINCE CHICHIBU TO STAY IN JAPAN

Tokio, Jan. 20.—Rengeout, the Japanese news service, learned to-day that Prince Chichibu, heir-apparent, has no intention at present of returning to England to complete his education, but that his brother, Prince Takamatsu, plans to study in Great Britain after the coronation of Emperor Hirohito, which will take place in 1928.

It was declared Prince Chichibu would enter the War Staff College during the next Autumn.

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TIGHTER WAGE LAW COMING NOW, BURDE WARNS LUMBERMEN

Forty-cent Wage in Lumbering Too Low, Says Father of New Legislation

Demands "Moral Survey" to Find Way of Reforming Liquor Situation Here

Walking into the Legislative Chamber yesterday on crutches, Major R. J. Burde, Independent, Alberni, laid down the law to the Government, the Opposition, and the business men of British Columbia with even more than customary vigor; announced that he and Labor members were going to demand that the minimum wage law of the Province be tightened up with a sharp increase in wages of lumber workers over the present legal scale of forty cents; threatened to move for a royal commission to investigate working conditions here if the industrialists did not treat their employees better; raised his former protest against the quality of beer sold in beer-parlors; and advocated a moral survey of the Province to determine means of reforming its serious liquor situation.

Before launching into the real business of his lengthy address, Major Burde devoted a brief space to campaign funds, remarking that he supposed this subject would be investigated. As far as labor members were concerned—and he counted himself one of them—their difficulty was to scrape together a few dollars to pay for the expenses of traveling and printing during a political campaign. He expected that there would always have to be campaign funds but wondered why it was that while there appeared to be plenty of them in Vancouver the politicans there never seemed to send any out to the candidates in rural districts.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

Major Burde remarked that he had been suffering from an injured leg—a subject which, he said, had been the cause of widespread curiosity.

"I can only accept the suggestion of the Fourth Member for Vancouver, (Capt. Ian Mackenzie) that I must have fallen off the Vancouver Harbor Board," Major Burde added.

Extending his regrets to various members for their ill-health, the Alberni Member added, that he was sorry to see that the Minister of Mines, Hon. William Sloan, had been forced to go to Honolulu for his health and that "young Mr. Reifel" had gone around the world.

Major Burde paid a high tribute to Lieutenant-Governor Randolph Bruce, who, he said, was an ideal man for his present position.

THE TOLMIE MENACE

The Major twitted the Conservative Party on its choice of "Hon. Simon Moses Tolmie" as its leader to lead it out of the wilderness. If Dr. Tolmie were a menace to the Oliver Government, he said, the Government could largely blame itself. He recalled how the Liberals of Victoria had supported Dr. Tolmie in the famous by-election campaign of 1919 when the Victoria member had been elected to the Borden Cabinet, thus starting on the way to political success. If the Liberals had attended to their own business on that occasion, he declared, a Labor candidate would have been elected and Dr. Tolmie's political career nipped in the bud.

"If Dr. Tolmie had been defeated, as he would have been but for the Liberals, he would have been relegated to oblivion," he declared. "And then the Premier wouldn't have been no much alarmed as he appears to be. I want, however, to offer the Premier this advice—don't worry too much. When we were in France one time I remembered a terrific big projectile coming over and landing in our trenches. When they examined it the engineers pronounced it a 'heavy'—and added that it was a 'dud.' Let the Premier take consolation out of that."

ABOLISH STOOL-PIGEONS

The Major agreed with the suggestion that stool-pigeons be abolished and that municipalities be given greater freedom in handling the liquor problem. To illustrate the evils of stool-pigeons, he told of the operations of some of these workers in his own city of Port Alberni. Here, he said., stool-pigeons had worked through a well-known fraternal organization to secure a liquor conviction of a lodge brother and practically to invite law-breaking.

"So long as you have stool-pigeons you'll have that sort of thing," he warned. "It's time the Attorney-General took a longer and deeper look into the department he controls."

As an improvement of the liquor situation, the Major urged the Attorney-General's functions be reduced as they were too heavy for one man to carry. He said he had heard that beer-parlors would soon be allowed to sell food and then the Province would have an Attorney-General who would be also "Minister of Hot Dogs, Hot Tamalies, Crackers and Cheese, Canadian Cheese, Stilton Cheese and the Big Cheese of Vancouver who came over here last year."

WANTS MORAL SURVEY

Advocating a "moral survey" of liquor conditions in British Columbia, the Major declared the Government was charging for too much for liquor and selling poor liquor.

"Your liquor stores have proved an economic survey and a busines disgrace!" he exclaimed, asserting that working men paid cash to liquor-vendors and kept the merchants generally waiting for the payment of their bills.

"The liquor system makes far too big a profit," he affirmed, urging again that the whole business be investigated thoroughly with a view to reform.

BEER QUALITY

Launching into an attack on the low quality of British Columbia beer, he said, that the beer-parlors rather than the breweries were responsible for that condition. He had been told, he said, that the fault lay with the parlors in the handling of beer.

"You're being poisoned to-day by the handling of beer—not because the beer was made badly, but because beer is left in old lead pipes, not properly cleaned out or not kept at the right temperature," he explained. I would urge that a more careful inspection of parlors be maintained to prevent these things."

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Turning to road questions, Major Burde advocated the maintenance and improvement of roads in his district rather than the construction of new highways into the wilderness for the use of tourists. He asked the Government to spend some money on the Holberg-Cape Scott Road at the north of Vancouver Island to aid settlers in this district.

"In the name of Heaven don't spend $200,000 on a new road to serve a tourist who brings in his own bag of potatoes and his own canned milk when the school children of my district are ploughing to school on trails knee-deep in mud!" he pleaded. "It's a shame that with all the natural wealth of this Province so many people here are living on tourists."

URGES PIT-LAMPING

A Game Act amendment to permit farmers to pit-lamp deer on their own property was advocated by Major Burde as a measure to protect crops. No deer meat thus secured, he said, would ever be wasted.

"Beer and whisky are not the only impure things," he went on. "I confess I am sometimes subject to the buttermilk habit. It's a habit worse than the drinking of beer," he warned the members feelingly, adding that most of the buttermilk sold in British Columbia had no butter in it at all but was merely skimmed milk made sour. In the same way much of the icecream sold here was made of butter which had not been sold otherwise. These things should be investigated by the Health Department, he said, as should the sale of beef from tubercular cattle.

BILL MISUNDERSTOOD

Coming to the minimum wage bill, which he fathered, Major Burde found it had been misunderstood—largely, he suspected because some members had never read the measure before passing it. He urged an amendment to the statute to force the board administering it, to apply it to all industry. Meanwhile he asked the Attorney-General to speed up the board's work in this connection.

"Let me say to the American lumbering barons who have come here that we don't want them unless they are willing to give a white man here the same deal they give him in their own country!" he exclaimed. "They would not dare to make the suggestions about wages in their own country that they do here!"

He asked the lumbermen to give the white man a white man's chance and they would find him as reliable as Orientals and a much better citizen.

"If you expect a white man to live on $2.80 a day—" he went on.

"Don't look at me, I don't expect it!" interjected Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands.

"You're dodging it," Major Burde insisted.

"You placed the responsibility for this bill on a private member when you spoke in the interior. You voted for it!"

ATTACKS LUMBERMEN

He recalled that the lumbermen had predicted ruin for their industry if the Eight-hour Day bill were passed and yet this statute had not injured them. The House had been told, indeed, that the Chemainus mill would never be rebuilt if the bill were passed—and the rebuilt mill today was one of the finest in British Columbia. The lumbermen had misrepresented the question then and, he added: "Thy're bluffing now!"

"Assuming that the labor men would approach the lumbermen and say they would accept the present forty-cent wage, don't you think they would jump at it? Of course, they would. They're not worrying about the forty-cent wage. They're putting up a holler to prevent getting hurt worse. The lumbermen needn't nourish the idea that, all they are going to get is a forty-cent wage. Forty cents is too low! Don't let them think this law isn't going to be tightened up!"

MILLS ANTIQUATED

The trouble with lumber companies who were objecting to the wage law, he said, was that their mills were antiquated. He quoted J. O. Cameron, Victoria lumberman, as saying that the law would force mills to install expensive new machinery.

"Does he want to tie white men to antiquated machinery?" he demanded. "Does Eric Humber of the Hastings Mill came to us and say he can't afford to pay more than $2.80 a day when he's got a mill that would be a disgrace to Noah's Ark?"

He ridiculed the Victoria Chamber of Commerce for opposing the wage law, asserting that "Victoria is a city of golf courses where they put out cans for tourists to put money in to feed their undernourished babies—where they want to build a municipal golf course for their workingmen to play eighteen holes of golf after working a ten-hour day!"

MEMBERS MAKING PROGRESS WITH LEGISLATION NOW

Minor Bills Begin Journey Through Legislative Mill at Parliament Buildings

Between speeches in the debate on the Speech from the Throne, the Legislature is beginning to make progress with minor legislation, which has appeared on the order paper in generous quantity.

In the closing hour of the Wednesday session the House gave several bills a second reading and got to committee stage with others.

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works and Railways, introduced an amendment to the Railway Department Act by which control of the New Westminster Bridge is put entirely under the Railway Department. At present the Public Works Department controls the traffic half of the viaduct.

A new amendment to the Land Registry Act, introduced by Attorney-General Manson, provides that where one of the parties to a joint land tenancy dies there shall be a new registration of the land involved. This is designed to give the Land Registry Office adequate notice of the fact that a tenancy has been dissolved by death.

Small changes in the operations of co-operative organizations are provided by legislation which Mr. Manson also sponsored. This shortens the notice which directors of such organizations must give to call meetings and in other minor ways varies the work of co-operative bodies.

The House almost finished work on P. P. Harrison's Tug Men's Liens for Towage Act, which went through committee almost complete. It will be finally passed during the next few days, it is expected.

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TORY REPUDIATES LEADER'S STAND TO BACK PATTULLO

Pooley's Protest Over Big Timber Sale Tempest in Tea Pot, Says Manson

Praises Government For Encouraging Big Queen Charlotte Island Development

Sale of Government timber on Queen Charlotte Islands to the Powell River Company, a transaction which has been assailed by R. H. Pooley, Opposition Leader in the Legislature, was emphatically endorsed by Michael Manson, Conservative, Mackenzie, yesterday. Openly repudiating the stand taken by his leader on the deal arranged by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, Mr. Manson declared that the fuss made over the sale was a "tempest in a teapot."

He pointed out that every provision of the Forest Act had been fully complied with in the matter, and that the company had the right to expect to secure enough timber to assure continuity of operation, especially in view of the fact that it had recently invested millions of dollars, and now had an investment of more than $20,000,000 in the Province.

Mr. Manson went exhaustively into figures of operation of the pulp mills, and gave detailed information as to the expenditures of the company, not only in the operation of its plant but in its development and welfare work in the community of Powell River.

GRUDGE IS REASON

Objection to the sale was made not by people who really wanted the timber, but by those who had a grudge against the Powell River Company because that company would not buy their timber, Mr. Manson asserted.

According to the statutes, the company was entitled to select timber for thirty years' operation, said Mr. Manson, who added that the pulp timber on the Queen Charlotte area which had been secured, only added an additional supply for seventeen years. Before securing it the company had but nine years' supply in sight, and in anticipation of being able to secure the reserves which the law provided for them, had added an additional unit to the plant.

Before this plant addition had been made the company employed 1,100 men and were now employing 1,690, and had provided it with all modern conveniences. More than $50,000 had been spent on welfare work. The minimum wage bill did not affect the company for the wage scales ran from forty-eight cents an hour to $1.48. The bulk of the annual expenditures for supplies went to Vancouver, more than $2,000,000 having been expended there last year.

He was not defending either the Powell River Company or the Government, he said in conclusion, but he could not see where any blame could be attached to either the company or to the Department of Lands for their actions in this matter.

THE REAL PRICE

The prices involved in the contract between the department and the company did not represent all that the timber would cost, said the speaker, for the royalties and the extra cost of hauling from the Queen Charlotte group, over the haulage cost from points south of Milbank Sound, would be heavy.

Frank Brown, Labor, Burnaby, asked Mr. Manson where he had obtained the detailed information of the operations of the company. The member for Mackenzie replied that he would frankly state that much of his data had been secured from the books of the Powell River Company, while the costs of towing he had from his own knowledge.

RIDING'S NEEDS

The member for Mackenzie prefaced his address on the pulp sale with brief reference to the needs of his constituency. He pointed out that Bella Coola, one of the wonderlands of the continent, was in need of road extensions for the use of settlers. He added that roads in this section of his riding would have a double utility, as the scenic beauties of the locality, including the second highest falls in America, would prove most attractive to tourists.

It was not possible to develop new districts without expenditures on roads, he declared, and went on to elaborate the requirements of the settlers in his district.

Brentwood

Brentwood, Jan. 20.—Cobble Hill teams will play the West Road teams on Friday night at the West Road Hall. The Bamberton and Shawnigan Lake teams will also put on a game there the same evening. The line-up will be: Bamberton, D. Hamilton, D. Shade, C. Sluggett, A. Styan and J. Brooks. Shawnigan, A. Plows, F. Luckovitch, G. Margetisch, T. Elford and S. Watson. Ladies, Cobble Hill, H. Macklin, R. Barrie, D. Sutton, H. Taylor and M. Lawrie. West Road, E. Anderson, O. Anderson, M. Peden, A. Rice, T. Clark and T. Thomlinson. Cobble Hill, men, H. Mackenzie, D. Foubister, H. Blakney, W. Davidson, C. Davidson and S. Watson. Kileen's orchestra will provide the music for the dance after the games, and refreshments will be served.

Gypsies in Police Court in Toronto

Toronto, Jan. 20.—When eighteen gypsies, men and women, said to be celebrating St. John's Day with a five-gallon keg of wine and four bottles of gin, caused a disturbance in a Queen Street house here yesterday, a riot call was put in for police and the gipsies were arrested.

Stem Demetro and his wife, Anita, were charged with keeping a disorderly house and the others with frequenting it. All were later bailed out by friends.

During the disturbance, when policemen were being clawed and pounded by women of the party, someone pulled a fire alarm and the arrival of the firemen added further to the confusion.

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